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# UNCONSTITUTIONAL



General Hugh Johnson, above the originator of the New Doc the Supreme Court of the Arri-Adjustment Administraexament with no alternative but to campaign on the impe of the

#### GAS ATTACKS FROM AIR

Moscow Population Exercises

#### MOSTLY WOMEN PARTICIPATE

Moscow. To-day. Muscovites, 25,000 mostly housewives and maids, yesterday marched 10 miles in military formation wearing gasmasks and gasproof costumes, velt's speech to Congress envisagaccompanied by first aid units, while tanks sped by and huge Nations which, with Canada as a bombers roared overhead. go-between, might eventually in-

The march was the largest of clude the whole British Empire, is the series of civilian anti-air- offered by the Toronto-Globe while raid exercises organised by the commenting on President Roosevolunteer society for defence velt's neutrality message. The against gas attacks from the Globe suggests that President air. The recent activities spon- Roosevelt is dying the sored by the society have in-tional kite by extending invitacluded marathon races, ski runs, tions to South America, Mexico and surgical opera-and Canada to form a League of performed in gas American neutrality. masks -- Reuter.

#### FAREWELL SALUTE

#### Japanese Gesture To Retiring C.-in-C.

The Japanese River Gunboat Saga fired a farewell salute to Admiral Sir Frederick Charles Dreyer, K.C.B., C.B.E., the retiring Commander-in-Chief of the China Station who will leave the Colony, with Lady Dreyer, on board the P. and O. liner Carthage next Saturday

morning. The new Commander-in-I. C. Little, K.C.B., who for is alleged to be the head of the merly held the appointment of Communist movement in South by President Roosevelt from com- The Lord Mayor waded knee-Deputy Chief of the Naval America. Staff of the Admiralty, will ar- It is stated that he was forrive in the Colony to morrow merky a propagandist in China he famous and workers will be sure that the homeless had ademorring by the P. and O. liner and India. Many documents he famous and workers will be sure that the homeless had ademorring by the P. and O. liner and India. Many documents Caitral

#### FORTHCOMING WEDDING

The forthcoming marriage is amounced of Mr. John Cail Land to the second of the seco British Wireless Berry the sa Antena.

## SUPREME COURT BLOW ROOSEVELT

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT MUST BE UPHELD AT ALL COSTS

Washington, To-day.

One of the heaviest blows yet dealt to the present administration was delivered yesterday, when the Supreme Court pronounced the Agricultural Adjustment Administration unconstitu-

The ruling will destroy both the original Agricultural Administration Act and the amended Act. Congress amended the original Act last session. The measure brought into being raised prices for farm products by subsidising the farmers and encouraging them to restrict their output crops. The administration claimed to have raised the farmers' income by £220,000,000 in

The Supreme Court's decision was declared by 6-votes to 3. Referring to the amendment of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, Mr. Justice Roberts, giving judgment, said that it made no difference, as Congress could not rectify something which it had no power to originate. "Congress might redistribute the entire industrial population if this Act were upheld, and the United States could destroy-local self-Government.

U.S. PRESIDENT'S

SPEECH

CYNICAL COMMEN

IN CANADA

AMERICAN LEAGUE OF

NATIONS COMING?

Speculation on President Roose-

ARRESTED

Alleged "Brains" Of

Red Movement

The police have arrested

his possession dave been se zec

NEWFOUNDLAND'S NEW

GOVERNOR

Renter:

Rio de Janeiro, To-day.

ling a new American League ci

Officers. To-day.

Later President Boosevelt declines to comment on the Supreme - Court decision. He is now conferring with Mr. Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture and Mr. Homer S. Cummings. Attorney - General about the matter. It is expected that the President will try to reach his original objective of helping the farmers by inducing the States, by means of financial support to adopt

#### U.S. SUPREME COURT **ADJOURNS**

legislation now defunct

Washington, To-day. The Supreme Court adjourned until Monday next without announcing its decision on the Bankhead Act, which may come a week hence or later.—Reuter.

General Hugh Johnson, the original administrator of the New Most of the Canadian news Deal, said that if the decision papers comment on Presiden made every form of farm relief Roosevelt's message cynically. For by the United States Government example, the Ottowa Journal di unconstitutional it left the adclares that the words of American ministration no alternative but Presidents are not always translat to campaign on the issue of the ed into action by Congress-Reu-

#### (Continued on Page 9) TREASURY DECREE HARRY BERGER

Washington later: The Treasury announces the complete collection of taxes under

gress circles that the electoral 50 families on Sunday night, fight on the issue of a constitua tional amendment will be forced were looked after by relatives Chief, Vice-Admiral Sir Charles man named Harry Berger who on the Government if it wishes and friends in other sections of to save the social order built up the city. plete extinction

> the successive blows dealt to the Reuter's Bulletin Service. Mew Deal by the Supreme Court William Green, president of the American Rederation of



A regiment of loyal troops charges through the street in the outskirt of Rio de Janeire the capital dealing death to the Reds who stirred up revolt which threstened to overwhelm the Government in five provinces of Brazil last mouth The loyalty of some regiments, while other troops were turn by dissursion, made the Communist-inspired revolt a failure.

#### SEVEN BODIES RECOVERED

City Of Khartoum" Wreck To Remain Ar Sea Bottom

Cairo, To-day. The City of Khartoum will remein at the bottom of the sea. Divers have recovered seven bodies of the passengers, all of whom alled instantaneously from fractured simils. The divers report that there are no further hodies inside the hull Kenter's Bulletin Service

#### CHINA'S SILVER POLICY

British Banks Fall Into Line

Shanghai, To-day. The British banks have actheir own acts implementing the repted the Chinese Government's offer for the exchange of their silver holdings for notes at par, plus a premium of 5 per cent for two years on twothirds of the amount of surrendered — Reuter

#### FLOODS IN TRELAND

Furniture Floats Down Dublin Streets

Dublin, To-day. Considerable damage was vide for a reduction of armacaused to housing in this vici- ments. nity on Curday owing to the The First Lord of the Admiraloverflowing of the Grand Canal ty, Lord Monsell, replied that too The first hint was received when much emphasis should not be the flood waters suddenly placed on the ratio idea, while reswished into dwellings without duction might be secured along suspension of all payments and warning, and furniture and per-qualitative lines through the Brithe sonal effects were soon floating tish plan. in the streets

The local authorities had to The feeling is growing in Con-find accommodation for some while large numbers of others

deep through the floods to in-

# LONDON NAVAL

PARLEY

PRESIDENT

BUSINESS RESUMED AFTER RECESS

London To-day.

Sir Samue Hoare when resumed terday BOON ON concinsion

Mr. Pier. French delegation made a strong appeal for the exchange of information on Service. building programmes every year. - Renter's Bulletin Ser-

NEXT STEP in the evolution of a formula for

pective proposals DEEP TO INSPECT DAMAGE | criticised the British plan on the British Red Cross Society -- Briground that it would preserve the ish Wireless Service. ratio system and would not pro-

(Continued on Page 9)

# WARSHIP

#### Holed By Tug While Being Towed

The new destroyer H.h. and letters which were found in come increasingly restive under quate accommodation provided Griffin when leaving Barrow in Bulletin Service. Furness where it was built, was being towed down the Clyde of a toy when it met with a slight accident Two tow-ropes Labour, said that the necessity. The forthcoming marriage is broke, which caused the jug to

# AP NUGBEE.

## SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS DESTROYED IN AIR RAID

ETHIOPIAN GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO CAMOUFLAGE RED CROSS SITES

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Addis Ababa, To-day.

An aeroplane piloted by Baron von Rosen arrived here yesterday afternoon with further survivors from the Italian bomb attack on the Swed-Red Cross. To evade the Italian airmen Baron von Rosen's machine started at dawn from Nugelli and landed towards midday at the aerodrome at Addis Ababa.

Among the passengers was a Swedish Pastor named Svenssen, who reported that others were wounded by the Italian bombs, so that the total number of victims is now more than 50. Dr. Svenssen further declared that the doctors still MR. EDEN ELECTED at Nugelli cannot possibly continue their work since all their instruments have been destroyed. Dr. Svenssen also brought photographic negatives proving that appalling disaster was wrought by the Italian bombs. He asserts that the Italians used mustard gas. Trans-Ocean Service. Desne: It is believed that the prelude to a new offensive in the north by the Italians is displayed by the renewed activity in the past week from the Malkait Matrice to Matalie. Aerial re-

commence and bembling within the rear frequent but the co-

Gas was used in several places and resulted in more sumerous

casualties, mainly civillans, including wonter and children. A Paris message states that although it is contrary to inter- NEW GROUND FOR national laws the Ethiopian Government intends to camouflage the Red Cross sites and ambulances owing to the frequent Italian air raids, according to the Havas correspondent Addis Ababa Disguising camp the colour of the ground will be among the means

adopted - Reuter's Bulletin (Continued on Page 3)

naval limitation rests jointly on London, to day The appeal Court

## MAN-KILLED IN "CAMERONIA

#### Detectives Meet Ship From Singapore

London, To-day.

#### MR. EDEN ATTOMISHES THE REAL PROPERTY.

# DIVORCE

Political Opinions As "Just Cause"

CHINA MAIL " SPECIAL Koenigsberg, To-day. An interesting and important judgment in a divorce case, in which the court granted a peti-ENCOURAGING RESPONSE TO tion for the dissolution of a London, Later: The next step CANON SHEPPARD'S APPEAL marriage, has just been verified by the Koenigsberg regional

Britain, France and Italy, who broadcast on Sunday night by The husband, who was forwill-try to assimilate their res Canon R.L.H. Sheppard for \$5,000 merly a State Official, Marxist to enable an additional British in political sympathy, petition-The prospects of agreement on Red Cross unit to be sent to Abys ed on the grounds that since the quantitative lines virtually dis- sinia has met with quick and gen- advent of the Third Reich his MAYOR WADES KNEE appeared yesterday. The Japanese erous response, according to the wife, who was known to be a "salon Communist," refused to keep her political opinions to herself, the result being that the husband was discharged from the civil service.

The wife's defence was that her husband always knew the position and had not disapproved. The husband admitted this. but claimed that after the advent of the National Socialist regime discretion and selfcontrol were essential.

The court ruled that the poli-The s.s. Cameronia, which was tical opinions were a private due in London, from Singapore matter of personal conviction, yesterday, carrying troops, en-countered some trouble aboard divorce, but in view of the prein the Mediterranean, as a re-sent state of political opinion a suit of which one member, of man had the right to expect. the crew was killed and two in that his wife would carb her jured. It is understood that expression of opinions in pubdetectives were meeting the Le failure to do so justifying a ship to make thorough investing man obtaining his freedom gations of the case — Reuter's Trans-Ocean Service.

#### MR. HPS RECEPTION

Shaughal, To-day, -- Chinese reports state that Mesers Con for an amendment seems more announced of Mr. George. And veer to the side of the destroy- London, to day - The Foreign Cheng and Han. Chang chile are apprent and that the draws the thony. Stewart, of the Hong er, strking her and causing a Secretary Mr. Anthony Eden, has less ing for Hong Kong to morrow residing at Window Long And Lindow, monty-yiee Admiral stratus of the Across and Kony & Shanghar Banking Cor. Bole to the July Time necess. 200 State of the Office of the Charles by the A. President Jefferson to the Avenue Kowkon, and Mas Sir Bumphrey Walvyn. the new labournes to the difficulties en-poration, and Mas Ethel Joy sated the destroyers, being Harvey to be his orincipal private section. He difficulties en-poration, and Mas Ethel Joy sated the destroyers, being Harvey to be his orincipal private section. He difficulties en-poration, and Mas Ethel Joy sated the destroyers, being Harvey to be his orincipal private section. He difficulties en-poration, and Mas Ethel Joy sated the destroyers, being Harvey to be his orincipal private section. He difficulties en-poration, and Mas Ethel Joy sated the destroyers, being Harvey to be his orincipal private section. Manageret Susanat Jones, as Common of Newformstand, will common the Uniteriori System of Manageres, Cine Design, book in Barrier, and Mr. F. B. Hover popular Mr. Son Ros Creature

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FOR STRAITS AND INDIA Perseus ......

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Pres. Cleveland

## For Modest Women

#### CARE OF HOT WATER BOTTLES

Hang Wrong Side Up!

The sides of a bottle can be prevented from sticking if it is hung bottom side up for a while and a little air is blown into it before its first public meeting, issued It is essential under (c) and pre-sides are stuck do not force them in the back, should not be cut ferable under (a) and (b) that ap apart. Add some ammonia to hot lower than one or two inches beplications should be accompanied by water and pour it into the bottle. low the little hollow of the throat crossed cheque payable to Hong Then separate the sides by in- 2. The sleeves should at least Kong Government. The new licence will then be sent by post or messeng- serting the knob-end of a long cover the elbows, and the skirt er as soon as it is ready. Where wooden knitting needle. When a fall far below the knees. actual cash is tendered a new licence rubber bottle leaks it can usually 3. The stockings should be worn should be recieved in exchange before be repaired easily. If the weak-full-length and should not be In the case of renewal the old ness appears along the seam use flesh-colours nor transparent licence should be returned with the a strip of unbleached linen. A 4 The clothing in general the adhesive. A small hole can reveal the form of the wearer. be repaired in the same manner "In all" art there must be some as a bicycle tyre. Old rubber restraint," one of the organisers, bottle can be filled with hot sand the Rev. Walter Croarkin, told reinstead of water, the sand being porters. So too in the art of placed in a baking tin and heated dressing women "should rememin the oven. Or they may be used ber that something should be left as gardening mats.

What They Should Wear

A League of Modesty has been formed in Chicago to warn women against immodesty and the philosophy of the New Paganism" to which the organisers say that the fashion for immodesty is due.

Urging women "not to follow fashion slavishly, the League, at four rules for modesty:-1. The dress, in the front and

waterproof lacquer, sold for coat-should be of such quality and ing brass work, can be used as quantity as to conceal rather than

to the imagination."

# Hair To Be Longer

Women Made To Look Taller

14 ing for 1936 make longer hair an illusion of height. necessary.

FOR SHANGRAI Asama Maru 10 Marechal Joffre 13 Emp. of Japan ..... 14 FOR JAPAN 17 Asama Maru Chitral ..... Marechal Joffre ..... FOR AUSTRALIA FOR U.S.A.

VIA SIBERIA-Letters and post-

Emp. of Japan .....

than the time given above unless 11 otherwise stated, and where mails are camp. advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are about the wholesale way women. French Influence

Singapore, Saigon-Marseilles via Sai- every occasion sports some indi-costume combines narrow skirt Mrs. C. W. Skeet, Mr. H. G. Sheldon, ed for transmission by these Services, the braid and tassels fashion has jacket being cut away at the back Capt C. Simpson, Major and Mrs. Pates and all particulars are shewn decreed for winter of 1936. | almost like the traditional swal- Stevens, Mrs. and Miss Stainfield, in the schedules exhibited at the Generai. Post Office and Kowigon Office. intermediate countries will be accept-

"Full skirts and low-heel slippers make women look short and

"So hairdressers are advising Women's hair is to be longer them to grow their hair much longer, so that it may be built up

A West End hairdresser, ex-back of the neck, and disposed on

#### MILITARY MODE

BRAID AND TASSELS

and PARCEL lace of the Mae West revival to Miss Geare, Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier the trig smartness of a military Gordon, Mr. T. M. Gregory, Mr. E. T. Ramsey, Miss F. M. Smith,

There is something uniform and braided, and even epauletted.

Tailored and sports frocks, low-tail Squared shoulders, epan-Mr. E. Grant Smith, Mr. and Mrs. eral Post Office and Kowloon Office.
9 All letters etc., must be marked "By costs, and chapeaux in particular lettes, and hig brass buttons. A. C. Thomas, Misses E. M., and M.
11 Air Mail" and handed in at the Gen-have all become symbolical of topped with a wee tricorn orns. Mrs. J. F. Taddilen, Mrs. A. C. eral Post Office. Unless superscribed the various uniforms of all coun-mented with a cockade for a hat, Trillo, Miss M. M. Tyrrell, Mr. P. J. for despatch by a specific air mail tries in all the stages of history, and madame is ready to march Taylor, Mr. J. Thomson, Mr. and service, correspondence will be for Suit coats, more than anything with the best of conquering arm. Mrs. O. Vagnone, Mr. R. Williams, warded by the first service available. else, have affected the cut of the less straight into the heart of the L. A. Whipps, Mr. A. C. Wilcox and

"The hair is drawn up from the

"The sudden craze for flat heels "Flat coiffures and curls in the "

Finds Favour With Smart Women

military tunic and are befrogged most suspecting male.



This frock, effectively chic in wool crepe trimmed with a tiny neck, yoke and dropped scarf, is another member in the Winter Style parade. The blouse, with its slight fullness and flaring balloon sleeves with stiffened pancake cuffs, is surmounted by a cost-of-mail collar. Screenland's Margaret Lindsay does the model-

#### HAIR "ATTACKED" BY EXPERTS

RETURN TO LONG TRESSES

> "BUNS" ARE MORE "WOMANLY"

In Berlin, hair has been attacked" by the fashion experts. Brightly dyed hair-and a return to long tresses are the fashion "orders" issued to German Frauleins at a hairdressers' exhibition there.

The dyed hair takes the form of coloured plaits. Braids of human hair, specially coloured, are woven in and out of the bair of the wearer. The braids may be dyed to match the colour of dresses, or made to contrast with the colour of the girl's own hair.

#### Red And Platinum

One model at a hairdressing show was a platinum blonds, who had a braid of red hair entwined round her head, matching the colour of her dress. A darker blonde ore a golden braid.

These dyed plaits will be sold "ready-made" or "made to measure" from the customer's own

German fashions for the coming winter, as seen at this exhibition, show that bobbed hair is finally disappearing ("buns" are considered more "womanly") and that ears are being shown again.

# The new fashions in hairdress- on the top of the head achieving Peninsula Hotel Guests of for 1936 make longer hair an illusion of height.

The following guests are staying at Haussamann, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. the Peninsula Hotel: Dr. R. Apps. Hall, Mr. T. M. Hazelrigg, Mr. F. A West End hairdresser, ex-pack of the new the crown in a series of soft Major and Mrs. Alston, Miss M. L. Hosie, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Halsey, Allan, Mrs. B. A. Anderson, Mr. A. Mr. S. P. Healey, Mrs. H. Mr. S. P. Healey, Mrs. H. M. Hartley, Abbott, Mrs. Bode, Miss F. Capt and Mrs. A. J. Holland, Miss Bach, Lt. Counds, Broome, Mr. M. E. Harwood, Mr. J. Hoffmann, 17 and flowing gowns make new hair back of the neck are now definite- W. N. Brown, Mrs. R. Buck, Mrs. Mr. T. M. Huges, Mrs. M. E. Heyt-fashions necessary."

19 out of fashion.

G. P. Bernet, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. man, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harrison, Winter hats are being made Boardman, Miss C. H. Boden, Mr. Misses F. A. and E. Hill: Mr. T. A. with high square crowns, so that and Mrs. J. E. Barnes, Mrs. N. N. Jenkin, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Jones, Elum, Mr. C. A. Blum, Miss P. W. Miss E. Kemp, Miss B. Kirke, Col. the new high coiffure need not be Brown, Mr. C. I Barr, Mr. R and Mrs. S. St. G. Kirke, Mr. I Bigazzi, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bach- Kadoorie, Sir Elly Kadoorie, Miss A. rack, Mr. G. Borst, Miss I. M. Coyne, Large, Mrs. D. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Miss D. Cadday, Mr. W. Chapman. H. A. Lammert, Mr. L. A. Lafford, Mr. Major J. C. Currie, Mrs. G. Cullins, Liem Goan Lian, Capt. and Mrs. J. Lt. and Mrs. W. A. S. Campbell. Dr. H. Lock, Mr. R. R. Liddell, Capt. S. Chen, Mrs. J. T. Cook, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. W. Lumsden, Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Conway, Mr. V. J. Crott- A. E. Lissman, Miss B. Metchin, Mr. well, Miss D. L. P. Cavanagh, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morse, Major L. C. M. Dixon, Miss B. Davies, Mrs. H. A. Morphy, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mack, Mr. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. B. G. F. Murray, Mr. J. Menzies, Mrs. Duncan, Miss L. Eardley, Mr. James G. G. Malumphy, Mr. H. G. McNeary, Elder, Mr. John Elder, Comdr. and Major and Mrs. McIntyre, Mr. W. L. Mrs. J. A. S. Eccles, Capt. and Mrs. McKenzie, Miss M. Mannk, Mr. and BRAID AND TASSELS

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and Mrs. W. Fuller, Mrs. B. Furber row, Mr. C. H. Ochs, Mr. H. L. The war in Abyssinia may have Miss A. C. Friedrich, Mr. N. A. Purton, Miss E. C. Paddy, Comdr. and something to do with it, or per-Gorman, Mr. P. F. Gorman, Mr. R. Mrs. I. Packer, Mr. R. Petri, Comdr. haps the dressmakers of the Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gardner, and Mrs. E. O. F. Price, Mrs. M. C. world held their autumn conven- Major and Mrs. Gill, Miss M. Gibbe, Potts, Mr. and Mrs. F. Paget, Mr. tion in Geneva. Whatever the Major Le Gros, Mr. Goh-Ching Hee. G. A. Parker, Mr. M. Pagh, Mr. T. M. cards for Europe and South America tion in Geneva. Whatever the Major Le Garner, Mrs. I. Grahamare forwarded "vis Siberia" if so cause, feminine finery has dashed Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gelewsky.
Superscribed.

L. Garner, Mrs. I. GrahamPirie, Mr. C. S. Bussell, Miss V. M.
Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gelewsky.
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This season from the froth and Mrs. I. H. Geare, Master and Mrs. Eimmer, Mr. J. F. Robin-

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son, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Rafferty, Mr. O. H. Swanson, Miss D. Streat, Miss K. Sherwood, Mrs. M. A. Squire Smith, Mr. Richard Sydney, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Staley, Dr. and Mrs. A 11 closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. have adopted the new military Taking its one from the outfit C. Skinn, Miss Skinn, Mr. and Mrs. gon. Correspondence for Europe and cation, however insignificant, of with waistcost and jacket, the G. R. V. Steward, Miss Steward, Eng.

Major and Mrs. R. Wolsey.



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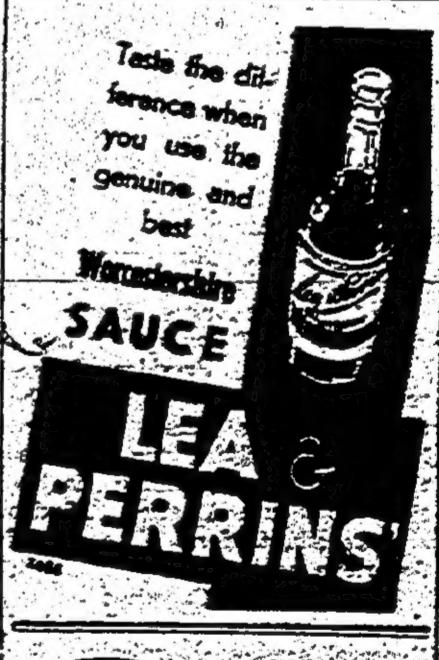
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#### BRIDGE NOTES

SACRIFICE TRICK

By Ely Culbertson

Sometimes a man must be braver to play safe than to take chance. It is likely to go against the grain of anyone, from an expert to a dub, to give up a trick which could be won merely by playing a little trump. But careful reasoning will often reveal the fact that this sacrifice method pays-valuable dividends.

The procedure of establishing the necessary tricks in the following deal is interesting: West, Dealer

Neither side vulnerable S-Q186

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South was somewhat disappointed to hear North overcall in diamonds; any other suit he could have supported enthusiastically. But when North immediately supported his spade suit, he had no hesitancy in going to game.

West opened his singleton ed Oucen of clubs: the diamond bid Room Furniture, Office Furniture, guided him away from the King Chesterfield Suites, Pictures, Car- of diamonds, which would probpets, Rugs, Gramaphones and ably have been his choice other-Records, Ornaments, Clocks, wise. The first trick was won-Glass and Porcelain Ware, Alum, with North's club King, and the Queen of diamonds was led, South discarding a heart.

This seems, superficially, like a strange play. South, having no diamonds which are necessary for On View from Wednesday the no other purpose, could easily afford to ruff this lead. But while a trick would thus be won, no foundation would be laid for the future winning of tricks. South prefered to invest, hoping to gather three tricks as a future re-

After West won with the King of diamonds he shifted to a spade. Dummy won this trick and again one of the diamond sequence was led. Again South refrained from trumping, discarding another heart Again West won the trick But this was West's last high diamond. The suit was now es-

tablished. the Ace of hearts. West took his lent attack on the Soviet Gov- tion. three honour-trick combinations. but nothing else; the dummy was then left with only established robbed man should be con-time. They have been called in to winners. Losing only three tricks, South made four-odd.

#### POLITICS IN SPAIN

Robles Castigates The President

Action, Don Gil Robles, in his most active members of the first speech during the present Communist International election campaign, attacked the Uruguay as his headquarters President of the Spanish Re- for the preparation of a revolupublic in such violent language tion in Rio de Janeiro," that the Government official paper continues, adding watching over the meeting was Uruguay's decision to seve forced to call Don Gil to order diplomatic relations with several times.

Don Gil particularly severely justified. criticised the fact that the con- Nobody can deny any coun vocation of Parhament had been try the right to show the door postponed until the end of to an invader who is planning January and the budget pro- to start a configuration, conlonged by decree Trans tinues the paper, which warns Ocean Service.

#### NEW PAPER IN MOSCOW

-CHINA MAIL - SPECIAL

Moscow, To-day. A Dewspaper, Zo Rubeyon, devoted to furthering co-operation between Czechoslovakia and Soviet Russia, made its first appearance here on Monday.

The paper, the first number of which contains articles by President Benes and other prominent representatives of Czechosloyakia, Afghan Foreign Minister, Vals the initiative of the Turkish papped. the later the two countries - stay here for about a fortaight to Anicara for negotiations - Investigations heading to the re-Trans Ocean Service



One of the six "Gaiety Girls" who will appear in Hong Kong for the first time at the Gala Night at the HK. Hotel Roof Garden next Saturday evening.

# **PAINTINGS**

Three men are each day engaged here on the delicate and exacting task of cleaning the paintings that decorate the inside of the great dome of St. Paul's Cathedral. This marks the final stage of the "spring cleaning" to which all the interior has been subjected during the past two years.

## URUGUAY AND THE SOVIET

CAUSTIC FRENCH COMMENT

THIEF AND THE ROBBED MAN

-CHINA MAIL - SPECIAL

Paris, To-day. to the protest

the resumption of diplomatic ings up and down the country. relations with Uruguay for the As-soon as they have exposed

munist. Internationale, during tive is applied. its recent congress at Moscow, when pointing out the progress of Communism throughout the The leader of the People's world admitted that one of the Soviets is therefore thoroughly

> the French Government that M Litvinoff is attempting establish a dangerous prece dent. The Soviet Russian re quest therefore should not appealing to the French Government not to hand over part of its sovereignty to Geneval-Trans-Ocean Service.

#### AFGHAN FOREIGN-MINISTE - IF ANKARA

Ankara. To-day. - The The Minister's visit is due to Trans-Ocean Service

The actual cleaning of the dome was begun about a year ago and is expected to continue till March

two Northampton brothers, Char-therton directed the picture. les and Thomas Mobberley, experts in their trade, under the eye of another specialist, Professor Tristam, of the Royal College of Arts. They refuse to talk about their work until it is finished, and will

Care Required

Cleaning the dome is no mere Nations against matter of soap and water. A layer Uruguay's decision to break off of shellac, of extraordinary thin-Nothing now remained for diplomatic relations with Soviet ness, has first to be removed care-South to do but to lead out his four Russia causes the Nationalist fully, so that the painting be cleantrumps, then concede a trick to paper Le Jour to publish a vio- ed, with a special liquid prepara-

The brothers have been together "The thief demands that the on jobs of this kind for a long demned," says the paper, which help with restoration work in points out that Moscow used scores of churches and old build-

establishment of a propaganda and cleaned an area of the dome organisation in Monte Video Professor Tristram retouches the "This assertion has certainly painting where necessary (the ocnot been invented by Soviet casions have been very few so far) Russia's enemies, for the Com- and then a new layer of preserva-

Difficult Scaffolding

culties attending the work was the perfectly, and he has the most erection of adequate acastolding ample and able support from The Office of Works was consult noted performers like Una Merkel. ed and a special type of support who rings the bell as a wine-

particularly the coke fires in the and others. work on the dome is finished, be dramatic actress.

the country. neighbourhood were affecting the great many more. granted, concludes the paper, nature of the ground on which it stands, and endangering its form-

> Men are continuously taking reading from 400 different points with plump line, level, and theoing to be made Renter

## 34musements

Cinema Notes

BLOSSOM TIME QUEEN THEATRE

"Blossom Time" has Richard Tauber starring under the direction of his life-long friend, Paul Stein. This picture is promised as the outstanding B. I. P. picture of the season, and is claimed to Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. be amongst the most memorable on a wavelength of 355 metres British films ever made.

The resources of the B. L. P. studio were put to the fullest test in every department, for "Rlosson Time" not only has . & powerful story but introduces The Staters Waltz (Waldterfell) some of the largest and most im- Estudiantina Waltz (Waldteufel) pressive sets ever erected in any studio. It has five beautiful Croixs (Mexic-Soprano). Schubert numbers, the accompaniments to which are played by a mass symphony orchestra. The 3. Ariettes Oublices (Debussy) costuming and make-up of leading artists involved hours of patient care each working day, Talks" by Uncle Mac. the dresses worm by the ladies cost several thousands, and the singing by Richard Tanber was flawlessly recorded.

#### "EVERY NIGHT AT EIGHT" ORIENTAL THEATRE

For the first time in his acreen career George Raft. who first gained the plandits of the critics by his performance in "Scarface." is cast as the leader of a dance The film is named so because Raft and his band are "On Passepied ("Le Roi s'amuse") the air" every night at 8 o'clock.

Raft plays the part of a famous band-leader who takes hand a couple of ambitious viris and gives them their chance radio. The story is punctuated be., (Op. 35) (Eigst): regularly with songs and music.

"DINKY"-STAR THEATRE

"Dinky" is a stirring drama everybody's children, based on .s story by John Fante Frank Fenton and Samuel Gilson Brown Jackie Cooper is started while

others in the east include Mary Astor, Roger Pryor, Henry metts, Betty Jean Haney, Henry O'Neill and Jimmy Butler. The work is being carried out by Hoss Lederman and Howard Bre-

#### "BROADWAY MELODY OF 1936" — KINGS AND ALHAMERA THEATRES

So packed with entertainment not even say what it feels like to is "Broadway Melody of 1936," be suspended under the great roof that it at once registers its right to be acclaimed as the greatest extravaganza yet to be made by Hellywood. Stars, story, music, dancing, all are present in a satisfying and often thrilling form, so splendid and elaborate is the picture and so skilfully is it fashioned

There is giorious comedy, and the story takes dramatic turns which set it above the usual vehicle of its type. The plot is superbly woven amid the rorgeously spectacular specialties. and the many some hits all fall naturally out of the streaming action of the production.

For players the cast has as its top personality the rifted Jack Benny now lending to the screen the brilliant trients that have made him a star on the stage and the outstanding genius of the Not the least of the many diff- radio. He handles a grand role was designed. cracking secretary, Robert Tay-The old lighting system, and lor, a grand romantic male lesd.

crypt by which the cathedral was Eleanor Powell wins triple honformerly heated, deposited every- ours in this picture for she is not where a layer of soot and grims only seen as the "world's greatest Jews. British circles in Palestine that grew thicker with the years femininne tap dancer, but handles St. Paul's is now revealed in a the ballering demands finely, and the fact that Arab youth is beginnew beauty. - It will, when the in addition proves she is a fine

one of the lightest cathedrals in It is practically an all-star cast Among other triumphant players paign Trans-Ocean Service. Foundations Endangering in the cast are Sid Silvers, "king It is certainly one of the best of stooges," June Knight Viling cared for, since it was discovered and Buddy Rheen, Nick Long Jr. two or three years ago that ex- Frances Langford, Harry Stockcavations for new buildings in the well and Robert Wildhack and a

#### REWARD FOR DETECTIVES

Margettes. Professor Malmeiac has handed dolite. And it sometimes takes as the Marselles Chief of Police the long as three hours for one read-sum of 50,000 france shout seec Sleepers -which he was prepared to pay as Kowloon Tong Carollers .... \$88.00 rensons for the recovery of his Rossry Church-door collections

will direct its efforts mainly to Khan, has arrived here for an Government, which invited Vals. The sum is to be divided among App. by post properties a cultural representatives official visit, and has elected to Klan a short time ago to come the detectives who took part in the Mrs. J. E. S. Bourio. 109 covery of the child.

#### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong

(845 K.C.'s). 4-7 p.m.-Chinese Programme. 7-11 p.m.—European Programme. 7-7.17 p.m.—Concert Waltzes Siren of the Ball (Lehar) Moonlight on the Alster (Fetres

Amoureux Separes (Reussel). Chanson des Sirenes Bercens de la Sirene (Honegger). 4 Sarabande (Roussel).

7.17-7.30 p.m.-A Recital by Claire

7.30-7.40 p.m -- From the Studio The 8th of a series of "Educational 7.40-8 p.m.—The Hill Billies. Me and the old folks at home The Hill Billy Band. Susanna from Alabama.

Good-Night Little Mountain Cabin Pop-Eyed Pete. 8. p.m.-Local Time and Weather Closing Local Stock Quetations.

8.95-8.30 p.m .- From the Studio. A Jazz Pieno Recital by Hill Cars-8.30-9 p.m. The Lender Sym-

phony Orchestra. Love of the Three Oranges. (Prokofied) (Delibes).

Pavane ("Le Roi s'amuse") (Deibes). Pomp and Circumstance March No. in Woodland Interinde ("Caractacus")

Dream Children (Op. 42 No. 1) 9-975 p.m.-A Relay of the Daventry News Bulletin (Copyright by

3.15-9.39 p.m.-An Organ Recital Sydney Gustard Mosical Comedy Medley. 2 Foneral March of a Marionett (Goomod)

939-9-45 p.m -- From the Studio. "A Forgotten Statesman" by H 9.45-18 p.m.—Four Sougs by E chard Crooks (Tener).

Nizvens (Adams). in my sarden (O'Eccle). Vienna, City, of my dreams (Sleczynski) "4. I'll always be true (Benstaky). 10 p.m. Big Ben: 10-10-30 p.m.-A Variety Pro-ZIAMBE.

Orchestrs-"Revodeville" Memories.

Memories of Horatio Nicholls Blackpool Selection 10.30-11 p.m -- Dance Music. 11 p.m. Glose Down

#### TROUBLE IN PALESTINE

Some Anti-British Demonstrations

ARAB YOUTH INFLAMED

-CHINA MAIL " SPECIAL Haifa, To-day-Anti-British demonstrations on large scale, organised by Arab Nationalists, marked the commemoration here of the 40th anniversary of the shooting of the Arab national hero, Sheik Kassam. Messages of sympathy were Teceived on this occasion from Arab leaders in Egypt, Syria and Trans-

Speakers at the public meetings here stressed the necessity for Arabs to follow Kassam's example and emphasised that the struggle against Britain was more important than the struggle against the attribute particular importance to ning to criticise its present leaders as too moderate, and is demanding a more vigorous anti-British

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TEAM'S





# CAER CLARK

## KEEN RACE FOR HONOURS

Holders, C.B.A. And Concerned

IN PROGRESS

ALL REMAINING GAMES MUST BE WON

The fight for the Caer Clark Cup has now reached a very interesting stage and the greatest importance rests on the results of the C.B.A. Ladies' games against the Hong Kong Ladies, the champions, and the "Y" Ladies.

Both the latter teams must beat the C.B.A. Ladies and win their remaining games to force a play-off A-loss of even one point will greatly jeopardise the chances of both of them.

#### C.B.A. Ladies' Chances

The C.B.A. Ladies are also in the running for the title, but they have to meet the "Y" Ladies and the Hong Kong Ladies, and they can manage to win these games and draw with St. Andrew's Ladies there will be no need for a play-off, as they will be shead of the holders and the "Y" by one point!

The next fortnight's play will see the most important phase in the championship series.

#### Remaining Fixtures

The following are the remaining Caer Clark Cup fixtures:-H. K. Ladies: Jan. 18. v C.B.A.

(C.B.A., 3.15 p.m.) 8, v. St. Andrew's Ladies C.B.A. Ladies: Jan. 11. v "Y" Ladies

St. Andrew's Ladies:— Jan. 11. v Recreio Ladies (P.T.S., 245 p.m.) Jan. 18. v "Y" Ledies

(Y.M.C.A., 3.00 p.m.) Feb. 1. Y. C.B.A. Ladies

8, v H. K. Ladies (Sookumpoo, 3.15 p.m.) Jan. 11. v St. Andrew's

"Y" Ladies "Y" Ladies:-

C.B.A. Ladies

Jan. 11.

Feb. 1, v. Recreio Ladies

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#### RECREIO LADIES TO MAKE CHANGES?

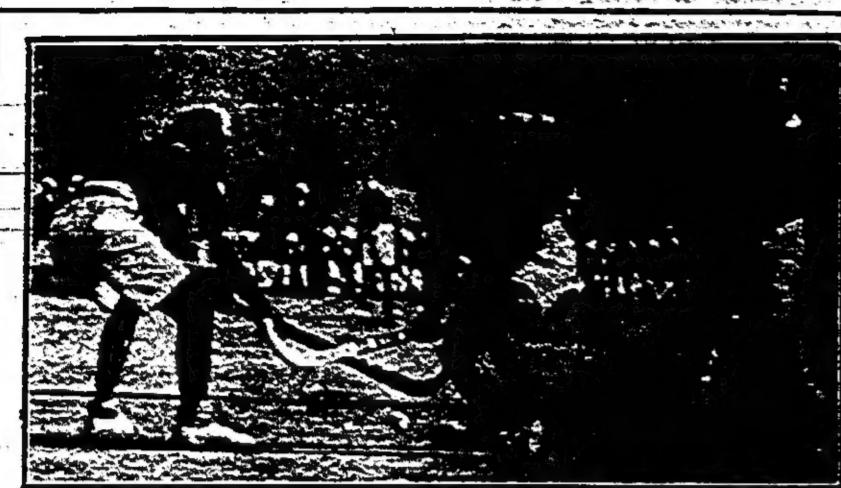
Miss Silva-Netto Injured

ONLY TWO MORE CUP GAMES LEFT

Due to the fact they have not been very successful of late, there is a rumour to the effect that there will be some important changes made in the Recreio Ladies team next Seturday against the St. Andrews Ladies. For this reason the composition of the team will not be known until later in the week.

They are rather unfortunate in that Miss L. Silva-Netto, who is one of the best players, mithe side, has not been able to turn out for the last three months owing to a

sprained ankle She was down to play last week, but at the last moment she had to withdraw from the team owing. to further trouble from an injured ankle.



A. Airosa, the brilliant Macao pivot, centre, is here caught by the camera robbing Khuda Bux, the H.K.S.R.A. senior right-winger, of the ball in the thrilling game seen on the Marina ground last Friday afternoon which ended in a goalless draw. Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite, the Army all-rounder, can be seen on the right. ("China Mail" photo).

#### WILLIAMS IN ALDERSHOT COMMAND HOCKEY TEAM

Signaller Williams, who was the Army fast bowler here some years ago, and who has been Home for some time now, has taken to hockey and has proved himself such a capable player that he has won his place in the Aldershot Command eleven. He is playing regularly for them

#### TIME TO SELECT THE ENTERPORT XI

Nucleus Suggested To Selectors

AWTAR SINGH'S CLAIMS MUST BE RECOGNISED

(By "STICKS")

With the Interport against Macao harely three weeks off, the Hong Kong Hockey Association (C.B.A., 3.00 p.m.) will have to start their trials very shortly, though, with the Civi-Feb. 1. v St. Andrew's Ladies lians-Combined Services match (P.T.S., 245 p.m.) fresh in their minds, the Selection Committee should be able to select a Probables and Possibles team without much hesitation.

Judging from the representative and other games I have seen Tate Parker and Dowman; C. Pile, (P.T.S., 245 p.m.) this season, I would select the Moss. Wilson. Wass and Pennell following for the Probables'

Remzen (KLT.C.) (Gosl) (P.T.S., 245 p.m.) A. E. P. Guest (Radio) (R.Back) Comdr. Broome (Navy) (L-Back) (Y.M.C.A., 3.00 p.m.) J. R. Potter (Chib) (R-Half) W. A. Reed (Club) (C-Half) Alaf Din (Army) (L-Half)

(C.B.A., 3.00 p.m.) G. E. R. Divett (Club) (E-Wing) Gurbachan Singh (Radio) (I-Right) (Y.M.C.A., 3.00 p.m.) Awter Singh (K.I.T.C.) (C-Forward) Lt. Burch (Navy) (I-Left) (Y.M.C.A., 3.00 p.m.) Lal Singh (Army) (O-Left).

Reserves:-G. Sommer Beltrao (Recreio) game. (F-Back), H-back) and C. C. (Army) (Forward).

that I have selected Ramzan, of the success and it is with this in view KAT.C., in preference to R. H. that I have suggested Divett for Wong, of St Andrew's, for the this position, the latter having reberth between the sticks. The presented the Colony against former gave a glorious display Macao early last year in the same against Macao and has performed position with a fair measure of consistently well, as against Wong's success. non-appearance in hockey, with the Awter Smeh As Leader

exception of representative games. I have included Awtar Singh as pery gravel pitch, being a delight no question but that Guest is bet- the season for the KITC is When one talks of a hockey halfter than anyone we have at pre-worthy of recognition. It is an back, the mind immediately sent, while Broome is in a class by established fact, or almost so, that switches to W. A. Reed, the best

(Continued in next Column)



The second secon

## PROMISING PLAYERS FOR

CAMERON USEFUL LEFT-WINGER

SECOND

NORTH AND WALL LIKELY TO PROVE INVALUABLE

There are several promising hockey players among the men who have recently joined the

Police Force. The best among the newcome: is Cameron. He plays on the left wing and has shown up so well recently that he should develop into one of the best leftwingers in the Colony in time. Willis, late of the 12th Battery, Royal Artillery, is another new-

comer to the Police forward line. North, the footballer, also plays hockey and is said to be fast forward and a definite acmisition to the hockey section. Wall, another newcomer to the Force, plays at back and, with little more practice, should be

useful reserve for the First team. To-morow the European Police will meet the Hong Kong key Club in a friendly game on the Club ground and will be represented by the following: Jesson: Hayward and Blackburn;

Potter As Half

Potter I have included as a halfback because of his amazing stamina and quickness on the ball. Ordinarily a full-back, he has played in the half-back line and can be very useful, especially by clever

Reed is a certainty for the pivot position, while Beltrao proved his (Club) worth in the Civilian-Services'

Various players have been tried It will be seen from the above out on the right-wing, but without

Turning to the backs, there is the leader as his play throughout to watch. himself in the left-back position once a dislike is taken to a player, the Colony possesses, but he will passing too late. delays.—A. E. C. Thomson his reputation as one "rots" as have to go a long way before he long as he remains in the Colony, touches anything like the form dis-Awter Singh-once upon a time played by A Airosa, the brilliant had the reputation of being seldsh. Macso pivot, whose truly magnifibut he is a new man to-day and cent display prevented easily one of our most brilliant HKSRA from scoring. leaders. His yame against Macso last Sunday speaks for itself With Gurbachan Singh, also a fine forward, playing inside to his positioning being so excellent. Divett, the Colony would have pro- Last Priday he was literally everybably the friest right wing in the where at the same time! I am history of the game in the Colony, afraid he is likely to be too soil it only needs a trial to prove clever for our probable leader my statement

ticularly in the Chyllana and Ser-locwards

# RODRIGUES LIKELY TO BE REINSTATED

STRENGIH LIES

## INTERPORT NOT YET ACCEPTED!

LOSS OF INTEREST?

(By "Sticks")

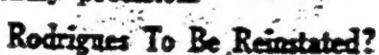
LTHOUGH an official invitation from the Hong Kong Hockey Association was sent to the Macao Hockey Club well over a month ago, the former has not yet received an acceptance or refusal; nor did Lieut. F. da Costa, the President of the Portuguese Island Club make any statement when in the Colony recently with his two teams

The provisional date for the Interport was fixed for January 24 (Chinese New Year), which leaves 17 days in which to arrange Interport trials, grounds and entertainment etc., a poor state of affairs, but through no fault of the Association.

Macao made a grave blunder when they sent two teams to the Colony at so near a date to the Interport and, what was worse, when they lost against the Kowloon Indians' Tennis Club, a team by no means up to Interport standard, and drew with the H.K.S.R.A., while their juniors succumbed to the Gunners' second teams and then beat the Recreio. The result of these games has been a considerable loss of interest in the Interport.

Last Friday's game gave mean opportunity of ascertaining the strength- and-weakness of Macao teams, particularly juniors, who made their appearance in the Colony Taking the seniors

Almada, their goalkeeper never beaten and cleared deadly precision.



Cardosa was the pick of the two backs and was like greased lightning in his interceptions, while he rasted very little time in clearances. R. Rosorio, who pertnered him, gave a sound display, but was not in the same class as probable, that J. Rodrigues, the junior right-back, who played for the seniors last season, will be better if he curbed the temptation

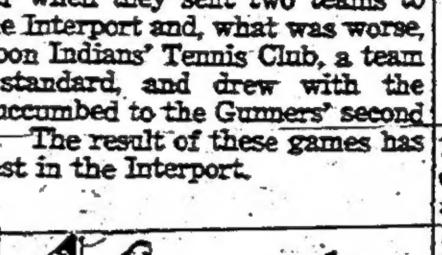


Lieut, F. de Coste, above, the founder of the Macao Hockey Chib, is expected to leave for Portugal on transfer early in March He will be missed by many hockey enthusiasts, both in the Colony and in the Straits where he took a team last year. ("China Mail" photo).

The latter gave a magnificent performance against the H.KS.R.A seconds, his reverse stick clearances and steadiness on the slip-

#### Good Positioning

Airose hardly seems to move, L Costs and P. Noissed the right and left wing harm. Two Those enthusiasts who witnessed their "key" men all the necessary 4. Burch's performances in the support and should be equal to the Triangular Tournament, and per-task of holding the Colony inside vices much, will acree with me! Pamilbo the Macao senior inthat he is our best inside left, and side right. Is their most dance what better partner than Lai Stuck genous forward and it he could only the Colony a best left winger! ... cut) his desire to melerent where the place



in the circle, Macao would then be first assured of at least two goals from was this clever player.

#### A Dangerous Wing

Ramalho does not only rely upon speed for his penetration, but very clever with his stick Nolssco, on the right-wing, he has an excellent supporter, and two are likely to cause most of the somiety to the Colony's defence.

P. Angelo, the Macao leader and excellent way in which the his colleague, and it is more than a newcomer to the Colony, is very ferees, Capt. Kimm and Mr. G. T. key here as compared to that in fast off the mark. He is, however, Palmer, handled the game. much too impetuous and would do to break through on his own. H. Rosorio is too essily finraied succeed in good class of hockey. A Angelo, on the left wing, is no newcomer to the Colony, but is

not in the same class as Lal Singh the brilliant Punjab, Army and Colony left-winger.

#### Juniors Impress

The Macao junior team gave a very good impression in their initial appearance in the Colony Sarmento, their goalkeeper, giving a brilliant and greatly daring dis play between the sticks.

Santos, who partnered Rodrigues in defence, has an excellent "eye" but his covering was poor and this resulted in three of the four goals scored against Macao in the second

the pick of the intermediate line, hockey than for an umpire their pivot. F. da Costa, who tried taken twice, or even thrice. stead of his own.



Awter Singh, above, the K.I.T.C. centre-forward, :: cannot be ignored when the time comes to select the Colony Interport. hockey trial teams.

#### TRIBUTE TO TWO REFEREES

MACAO GAME WITE H.K.S.R.A.

ONE OF THEIR BEST GAMES

The H.KS.R.A. who provided this afternoon. hockey enthusiasts with such ex- Sig. A. F. Austen, who was cellent hockey in their game formerly in charge of the against Macao last Friday, will not Signals' hockey team, and also be able to indulge in much hockey assistant Hon. Secretary of the for some time due to the fact that Mamak Hockey League, has another Battery has gone to Camp. Just returned to the Colony practice games until the Lerge and has again taken over the Units Competition begins on secretaryship of the Signals

February & The Brigade won this competi-

and incidentally their centre-half, himself forming the nucleus. said that it was one of the best games he had ever played in.

#### CPL BARLOW PRAISES LOCAL LADIES' HOCKEY

Good Enough To Best Many English Teams

Cpl. Beriow, R.A.S.C., formerly Hon. Secretary of the Mamak Hockey League, who is now stationed at Preston, has secured a place in the Preston Gazrison Hockey eleven.

He has also done a good dear of refereeing, especially in ladies games, and expressed the opinion that a representative ladies team from Hong Kong would give many an English team of ladies a good game.

#### AN IRRITATING HOCKEY PRACTICE

J. Ferreira and M. Soares were Nothing is more irricating but were considerably hampered by have to order a corner hit to be to play everybody else's game in- cause the defenders run out over the goal line before the corner The forwards are all very fast, hit has been made. The award but the insides, A. Gonsalves and of a short corner hit for such an A. Angelo, in particular were much offence, if the ampire is given full too selfish thus throwing away discretion in such cases, might do countiess scoring opportunities by much to check these corner hit



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### SIGNALS IN BAD WAY

#### HALF MAMAK TEAM LEAVE BY TROOPER

AUSTEN TO BUILD UP NEW ELEVEN

HOME REFEREEING NOT SO STRICT AS IN COLONY"

When the troopship Neuralia sailed last Saturday, she carried away with her, in addition to theother troops, six members of the Royal Corps of Signals bockey team-L/Col. Shove, Sig. Martin, Sig. Buttery, Sig. Fielding, Sig. Dilley and Sig. Farrell-with the result that the Signals are now so short of players that they have had to cancel their Mamak game with the Police, which was originally scheduled to be played off

They will probably figure only in after an absence of 10 months

Nucleus Of New Team

tion last year and will naturally Although there is a dearth of be all out to retain the trophy this talent in the Signals at the moment, Austen says that he is con-Speaking of the Macso game, Lt. fident that he will be able to build Ravenhill, the hockey Hon. up a team with Sig. Cox. L/Cpl. Secretary of the Brigade team, Nash, Sig. May, Sig. Dove and

While at Home, Austen played for the 1st Divisional Signals at He paid a special tribute to the Aldershot, and, when asked what re- he thought of the standard of hoc-England, said that the game was very much faster in Hong Kong due to the fact that all the games in England were played on grass. He added with a smile that the refereeing at Home was not so strict as in the Colony!

#### LADIES FINAL BIN GHE CHO

#### To Meet Rest Of Colony On Sunday

The remaining reserve forward vacancy caused by Miss P. Gittins' inclusion in the selected team still remains open, and a final decision with regard to this will be made after next Sunday morning's final practice game before the Interport team leaves for Shanghai.

In next Sunday's practice the Interport team will again meet the Best of the Colony, and it is hoped that last Sunday's players will again be able to take the field in order to provide the selected eleven with the best opposition

available. The teams are:

Interport XI: Mrs. J. Lamson (E. K); Miss E. M. Gray (H.K.) and Miss A. Fowler ("Y"); Miss J. Woog (St Andrew's), Miss M. Bryson (C.B.A.) and Mrs. M. Bell (H. K.): Miss M. Smith (CBA.), Miss S. Dalriel ("Y"), Miss P. Gittins (St. Andrews), Miss J. Adey ("I") and Miss M. Westcott ("Y").

The Rest (pending confirmation) Mrs. Rose (St. Andrews) Miss P. Woolley (CBA.) and Miss J. Smalley (H.K.); Miss L. Woolley (C.R.A.) Mes E Thomson ("Y") and Mrs. Henry ("Y"); Miss Or Dabie! ("Y"); Miss J. Delziel (H.K.), Mrs. White (CBA), Miss A Alves (Recreio) and Man of Kall

#### HOW MEN ZEALAND PRODUCE THE PARTHUMEN

Three happenings can produce a sensation in New Zealand -- (1) An exchange (2) a sinmp in the orice of wood-and (3) a defeat de the All Blacks - Ronald Por

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#### Captain's Cup And Stubbs Shield

The following were the results: of the First Round matches in the Captain's Cup, 1935, at Fanling.

A. B. Purves beat A. McKellar, 4 and 2.

H. Jusseraud beat K. W. Jones, 3 and 2.

J. H. B. Lee received a w.o. from A. M. W. Scott. Brown, 4 and 3.

W. W. C. Shewan beat P. Morrison, 1 up.

2 and 1: D. S. Edward received a w.o. from H. A. Browning.

Bishop at the 19th.

Stubbs Shield The following were the results of the matches in the Second by any means as bad a side as NAVY

Round of the Stubbs Shield. Drs. McGowan, Anderson & Co.

beat B. and S. H.K. Shanghai Bank received a who is not completely familiar w.o. from Williamson & Grist. Chartered Bank beat Harbour

Offices, 2 and 1 Colonial Treasury beat Lowe. Bingham & Matthews

Gilman & Co. beat C.P.R., 2 up. R.E. beat HKSRA J. D. Hutchison & Co. received

a w.o. from the Education Department

The Third Bound is to be played not later than January 27.

## RYDER CUP DONOR DIES

London, Jan. 2-Samuel Ryder, donor of the Ryder golf cup for which British and American teams compete annually, died here to-day. He was 77 years old.—Associated Press.

## NEARLY RECORD IN GOLF

Addington Trounce Dark Blues

"LOOKED LIKE A DAISY CHAIN London, December 2.

Addington, fielding a very W. J. S. Key beat J. McL versity, won all the foursomes and to be played on Saturday: the first eleven singles, until the St Joseph's v POLICE row of noughts opposite the names of the University players, as a CLUB D. J. Keogh beat A. K. Forsyth, man unkindly put it at the time "Looked like a daisy chain."

J. R. Sayers, however, became Kowloon the nero of the day by winning C. H. Burton beat C. W. E. the last hole to halve his match with the Hon. M. Strutt. The re-The Second Round has to be sult is nearly a record. Sunning-Ulster Bifles played not later than January 26. dale beat Cambridge in every match in 1920.

Yet I do not think Oxford are FUSILIPES v. Eastern this result makes them appear P.W.D. beat Reiss Massey & Co., They lost four of the foursomes by only one hole.

Furthermore the new course is extraordinarily difficult to anyone

#### OXFORD CROSS-COUNTRY HALF BLUES

Oxford University cross-coun-lafter the New Zealanders had try half-blues have been awarded knocked up 53 for 4 against their Lee Kwok-wai (S. China "A"). Tso lin (East Lanes).

to J. K. Hawkey (Blundell's and opponents large score of 489 (H. Kwai-shing (S. China "A"), A. Ward Reserves; —Costa (St. Joseph's), zoneri (champion), Lou (Amberi competition) University College), and W. D. Parks 201 E. R. T. Holmes 100 (St. Joseph's), Sandford (East Brooks (Police), Yeung Sni-yick (S. Fastherweights: Freddie Miller Paul (Magdalen College School James Langridge 118, McGowan 5 and St. Catherine's). Penter.

# FIRELAND'S FORWARD'S SHAKE "ALL BLACKS" INTERPORT SOCCER

## TRIAL FIASCO SOUTH CHINA "A" BACKS MISSING FROM TEAMS

RESIDENTIAL QUALIFICATION QUESTION MAY BE-ANSWER!

(By "Referee")

THE Interport Football Selection Committee have done a fairly good job in selecting two teams for the first trial next Sunday, although one is immediately impressed by the absence of any Second Division player, as there are many quite good enough.

It has invariably been the custom with the Hong Kong Football Association to select only players from the First Division, as these men are supposed to represent the cream of the Three Divisions, but what about Cheng Shui-hon, the Eastern leader, who formerly played for South China and who gave Hong Kong their only victory on Shanghai soil several seasons ago and Singleton, the prolific Third Division scorer, and they are only two among others.

It would be very interesting to see what really good talent could be unearthed from the junior teams, as I have seen several promising players who are equal, if not better, to some of our "leading lights."

## KOWLOON TO MEET S. CHINA "A"

Interporters Leave By M. V. Victoria

NEW COMMITTEE MEMBERS ELECTED TO COUNCIL

The draw for the Second Round of the Shield Competitions and the election of members to fill the vacancies on the different committees caused by the impending pective players? This is one o departure of Captain E. Hague, provided the only important business at the monthly meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong cootball Association, which was held last night and which was presided over by the new Chairman, Colonel H. C. Harrison,

Others present were Mr. T. A Mitchell, and Commander. T. A. be repeated again? Hussey, Vice-Presidents, Messrs M. L. Railton, Hon. secretary, Wong Ka-tsun, H. K. Lee, J. Mckelvie. S. Strange, C. A. Goldenberg. C. Guimgam Captain. Hague, Lieut C. Chaplin, Lieut. Delamain, Lieut, Carson, Captain O'Grady, R.A., and Mr. Woodward (R.N.).

.-The Interport team will be leaving by the m.v. Victoria has by no means justified inclusion, that it will be possible to play? the Interport team-against the Rest on the Saturday preceding. Kwok-wai and Tso Kwai-shing. Messrs. Chaplin and Guingam were elected to serve on the Emergency and League Management player worthy of his place, are on Committees, but it was decided trial. Committees, but it was decided that Captain Hague should retain his positions until he leaves.

Shield Draws

The following is the draw and forestrong side against Oxford Uni- Senior and Junior Shield Competitions East Lance backs!

> (Clab, 4.00 p.m.) Possibles! Lycemun, R.A. v S. CHINA "B" (Sooks moo, 4.00 p.m.) . v S. CHINA "A"

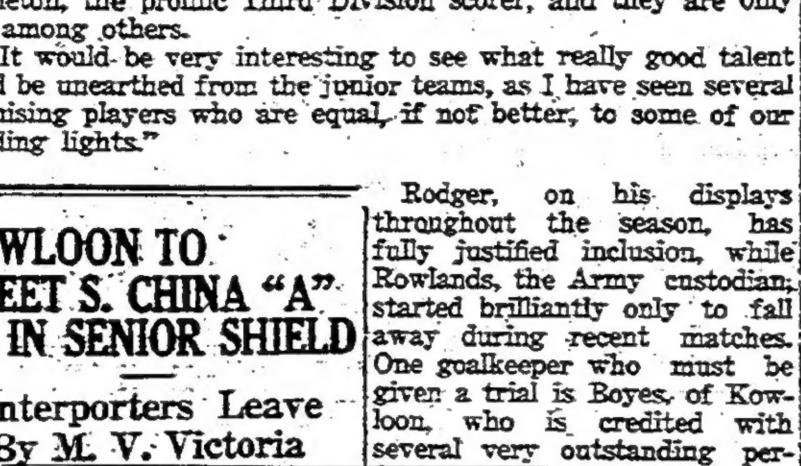
JUNIOR SHIELD \* Athletic ENGINEERS (Sookunpoo, 230 p.m.) the Club team, yet Talbot

w East Lanca.

#### MCC TOURISTS DRAW WITH SOUTH ISLAND

terday. The cricket match between play several practice games before the M.C.C. tourists and South the team leaves on January 191 Island, which commenced on Satur- Sunday's teams are:day, ended in a draw yesterday. day, ended in a draw yesterday, how (Athletic) and S. Strange (Club), Joseph's), Talbot (Fusiliers) and Rid- Lou Brouillard and PAdie Babe the Japanese Davis Cup team in when rain interfered with play Leong Wing-chui (S. China "A"), inga (Rest Lancs).

Risko (chiampion). Welterweights 1934 and 1935, has amnounced his



formances. It will be seen from the teams below that all of South China "A's" full backs have been omittedwhy? Was it because of Tam Kong-pak-being ordered off or have the Association considered the re-BIG ENTRIES. sidential qualifications of the resmany questions which I would like

Last Year's Mistake

to see answered.

Last year, it will be recalled, the Colony's Interport team had three players, namely Wong Wing, Lee Tin-sang and Tam Kong-pak, who were members of the Hong Kong Football League but who were not residents of the Colony. Is this to

I know I am right in that although several of Shanghai team were aware of fact, and quietly resented it, as did not abide by the Interport byelaws, nothing was said out of common courtesy. I only hope there will be no cause for argument this year.

However, Leung-Wing-chin, who year's standard. Wong Mei-shun who is not a Colony resident. Lee probably the only South China

Costa Passeo Over

Before closing the meeting the Costs, the St. Joseph's left-back, mittee in charge of all the ar took too long to settle down. In Chairman welcomed Lient Car should have been given a trial in rangements concerning tables, the first half New Zealand won ately hard to get another full son of the Ulster Rifles, to the preference to either Swain or etc: Messrs. M. N. Rakusen, E. A. 23 out of 30 set scrummages, back. Steel in the Colours' team, but I Remedios, and R. P. Phillips. The and the strangely disappointingcover quickly enough and so does of Q. M. S. Staples, Mesers. W. New Zealand mid-field runners. cast for the Second Rounds of the not compare with either of the Randall, J. Hodges K. K. Lenng.

Furthermore, one does not have mund (Convenor). to glance twice at the two teams to realise that Whites are the Interport Probables and Colours the the Senior Championship.

Those Partnerships Again E. Strange was obviously in-

(Kowicon, 4.00 p.m.) cluded in the Probables team cause he plays with Bickford (Club, 230 p.m.) combine during the period that Remedies y Sergt. Freeman. they have been together.

However, Sunday's trial will (Continued on Page 7) bring out the best and the worst, and there is plenty of time to R.A.



Medical circles throughout the world are interested in the report from Budapest that "Fraulein" Zdenka Koubkova (above), holder of the women's world \$80 Yards track record, may become a-man through a minor operation. Doctors are said to have informed Koubkova that she (or he) .has the option of either sex.

## BILLIARDS TITLES -

RECEIVED FOR BOTH EVENTS

Lane, Crawford's And B.A.T. Give Cups

> OSMUND DRAWS BYE INTO SECOND ROUND

Lusitano last night for the Senior half. A critical decision, as it experience, as the "inspiration" of and Junior Billiards Champion-happened, for Siggins dribbled the attack, further definite proentered for the Senior champion- touched down after a grand ship, while 61 entries were Irish forward rush, and Mr. secured in the Junior division.

The series will commence next scrum. Monday evening when four games will be played off. It is understood that Messrs. Lane, had scored and if Ireland had Crawford Ltd. may donate a been allowed a try the additrophy for competition among the tional two points for a goal which sails on January 19, so being about 50 per cent below last seniors, while the British Ameri- from an easy position would can Tobacco Co. have agreed to have made the scores level. President and Treasurer of the crowd, - naturally, but Mr. juries, too, have helped to per the Association, Mr. E. D. da Roza Jeffares had a closer and better and Mr. E. A. dos Remedios, res- view than any spectator, and I pectively have signified their in- would not dream of questioning tention of providing a cup for the his ruling. highest breaks in each division.

understand that Costa cannot re- Referee Sub-committee consists Irish defence could not hold the P. A. Yvanovich and A. J. Os-

Senior Championship

The following is the draw for Bye into Second Round: M. N Rakusen v J. F. McGowan. First Bound: A. W. Grimmitt w W. Hong Sling; Q. M. S. Steples v E. D. be- da Roza; Q. S. M. Elvin v K. A. in Santos; Lam Cho-cha v P. A. Yvanoand vich; A. P. Pereira jur. v S. M. di ance given by the Strange-Bickford ros v Yam Chan-pong; E. A. dos Lin-chuen T A. J. Osmund

Invarcargills, New Zealand, yes bring about a final selection, and Colours: - Rowlands (Fundiers): champion). Swain (East Lanca) and Steele John Henry Lewis and Maxie Ros-

# BUT OUTCLASSED BEHIND SCRUM

## CAUGHEY FINDS GAPS IN MIDITELD DEFENCE

VITAL TRY DISALLOWED

(By HOWARD MARSHALL)

MANY hopes went crashing down at Lansdowne-road on Saturday, when New Zealand beat Ireland by a goal, two penalty goals and two tries (17 points) to two penalty goals and a try (9 points).

Some of us suspected that New Zealand-team-work would be too much for Irish impetuosity, but at the back of our minds there was always the feeling that the Irish forwards might snatch a

glorious victory. Those forwards did their gallant best, without a doubt, and several times in the second half they sent New Zealand reeling back with smashing blows. At one period, indeed, New Zealand led by only eleven points to nine, but Ireland could not produce

It was the old story of the first-rate boxer against the fighter, and with summy feints THE STEADY and counters and straight lefts the boxer escaped the knock-out punch, and won-handsomely on points. A fine performance by New Zealand, and the sincerity of our congratulations is at the same time a measure of our respect for their opponents.

the final scoring thrust

The Missing Referee Here one must interpolate a note on the strange affair of the missing referee, which

sounds like an entry in Sherlock

Holmes' case-book. By some unhappy mischance taken by Mr. R. W. Jeffares, of possibility. Ireland, who accepted this heavy . It is seven seasons since they responsibility at the eleventh were so well placed. Reading, at hour, and carried out his diffi-the moment, have a clear lead in cult task with an impartiality points: it would, nevertheless, be

he had a perfectly good reason the year. for one particular decision Now that Mr. William Birrell which displeased the crowd at has been able to introduce Ballan-The draw was made in the Club the beginning of the second tyne with his serviceable Scottish hips of the Colony. Twenty-eight over the New Zealand line and gress is expected. Jeffares ordered a five yards

Bitter Disappointment I thought myself that Siggins

As for the game itself, the There is no denying the fact that The following is the Sub-com- simple facts are these. Ireland cartilage trouble. (Continued on Page 11):

#### NEW YORK MAGAZINE SELECTS BOXERS

MacAvoy Not Listed Among Leaders!

New York, December 20. Rankings of the world's great-Bickford were featured in a bril- M. Andrewes v M. M. da Silva; C. Q. est boxers in all divisions were PORTUGUESA limit display together on New M. S. Cheetham v P. A. Gill; W. B. announced to-day by the "Ring" Miss E. Walker, at the helm of (Kowloon, 230 p.m.) Year's Day, a combination which Hillyer v Chan Kai-yan; Ho Shai-magazine in its annual selection Lobs, yesterday won the Ladies (Causeway Bay. 230 p.m.) in Stelf outclassed any perform-cheong v W. F. Stafford; E. L. Bar- Listed in the order of their "A" Class Sweepstake Sailing race ability, the heavyweights are rank- held under the auspices of the Bye into Second Round:- Lemg ed by the magazine as follows: Royal Hong Kong Nacht Club, Joe Louis, James J. Braddock while Mrs. E. Cooper ploting (champion), Max Schmeling (ex-Siring, won the Mixed Classes champion). Primo Carners (ex-evente

> (East Lance); Lai Kwok-chui (Ath-jenbloom were given a tie for first letic) Beltrao (Recreio) and place in the light heavy weight divi-Elms (St. Joseph's); B. Gosano sion. Middleweights were ranked as Whiten Rodger (Club); Mak Sui- (Recteto); Hill (Club), Leonard (St. follows; Marcel Thil, Freddy, Steele, Woog Mei-shun (S. Ching "A"), and Team, Manager Lieut. C. Chap Barney Ross (cliampion); Bep Van withdrawal from major tennis

Crystal Palace Have Full-Back Problem

Q.P. RANGERS

ADVANCE OF

DAWES VERY MUCH IN DEMAND

London, November 23. Queen's Park Rangers for prothe chosen official, Mr. M. A. motion! Perhaps nobody has Allan, missed a train connecthought of it; but such is the protion on his way from Scotland, gress they have made since the and could not reach the ground arrival of Cheetham, Bartlett, Alin time. An awkward - situs- lan and Lumsden that promotion tion, but Mr. Allan's place was has become more than a logical

which must have satisfied both unwise to overlook the possibility of three or four others being hard I am sure, at any rate, that on their heels after the turn of

Palace And That Back

Mr. Tom Bromilow, on the other hand, is having a very worrying time in his first year as manager of Crystal Palace F.C. The team which he took over is not good enough in his opinion.

to gain promotion. - Although some new players have recently been secured with the money Norwich paid for Manpresent one to the juniors. The bitter disappointment for the ders, others are still required. Incitib back

> Haynes, the captain, is still in hospital following a fractured arm. In the next bed is Worthington, who has been operated on for

Crystal Palace could realise a lot of money if they were agreeable to part with Dawes. The ciub refuses, although inquiries are

received with almost monotonous regularity. A First Division club, not a thousand miles from Selhurst Park, tried to get Dawes only a few days ago. His big attracfion is that he can get goals, and can play either centre-forward or

#### LADIES SAILING PACES

#### NISHMURA RETIRES

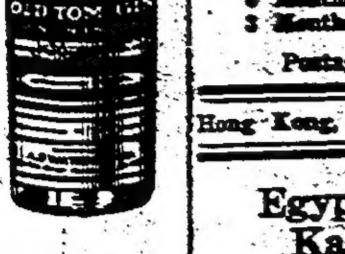
Hidwo Nishimura, a member of

Lanca), E. Strange (Club) and Bick- China "B"). Elliot (Club), Chenk (champion). Bantamweights: Baltha- Lynch, Small Montana (champion). ford (Club) Shek-kant (S. China: B") and zer Sangchell, Sixto Escober (N.B. Montana was the only Filipino list-

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#### Egypt's Political Kaleidoscope

Premier, Tewfik Nessim Pasha, Constitution of 1923

comprising all political parties in Opposition and including many non-party men, had achieved unexpected unamimity in a resolve to petition King Fund for this politionalists of the Waid party- Anoka, Minn, for the story face of this formidable union of Alaska forces against them. But with About 30 years ago, Mr. Robertan apility of mind which took son was prospecting for gold on his own Ministers by surprise, the Yukon near Lagle, Alaska, and Nessim Pasha reflected over- was known throughout the Ynlone out forward the Opposition usual things he did. But the most

return to the 1923 Constitution cause of ill health was badly dewithout modification is an un-cayed teeth, and being a long dismixed blessing. Even in the tance from a dentist, he pulled ranks of the Wafd there have his own teeth with an ordinary been admissions that it was im- pair of pliers. But he had to have perfect, and Sir Samuel Hoare, teeth, and devised a way of makwhen he regretfully described ing artificial plates himself. it in his Guildhall speech as then fashioned metal plates to fit "unworkable," could have back- his mouth and shot a bear in order ed his statement by the fact to obtain teeth, which he set in that between 1923 and 1930 it the plates for a perfect fit. The had thrice to be suspended bear he hung up to freeze, and Two of the statesmen responding the long winter he ate the has settled down in the country, sible for its suspension, Mo- bear himself with the bear's own writes that it is so quiet in hamed Mahmud Pasha and teeth. Ismail Sidky Pasha, have re-cently joined the "United Front," which pressed for its They may be taken to have been moved chiefly by the tactical manoeuvres of the Wafd, who have pretended that Britain would veto any return to 1923, and roused the students to riot as demonstration against a veto which in fact has never been exercised. As Sir Samuel Hoare stated in the Commons last month, the British-Government siderably over Sunday in conwhen consulted last spring gave sequence of the increasing rain-their advice that a suitable or-fall during the last few days. ganic law should be drafted If the river should continue to Sir Miles Lampson suggested a rise a great number of factories formula which Nessim Pasha in the city of Nantes will be quoted in a communique last forced to cease work. A conmonth: "No one was opposed siderable part of the district to the return to Parliamentary where the factories and work-

was preferable." open, it may be hoped that they Nantes line has likewise been and their temporary allies will interrupted and traffic is being cease to rouse to anti-British diverted over other routes— excesses the always excitable Trans-Ocean Service intelligentsia of Egypt. During the earlier months of last year there was musual good feeling between the two nations Events over their borders demonstrated to the Egyptians the reality of the protection given them by the presence of the British navy and British troops, and common action on sanctions helped to consolidate a friendly feeling. A misinterpretation of Sir Samuel Houre's Guildhall speech gravely disturbed these good relations. and those who had recently regarded the British as their allies and protectors began to ask indignantly if they would hours ending at 10 a.m. on Sunday never be allowed to protect was 0.08 inch. The total themselves. As the then For-since James 1 has been 0.86 eign Secretary said last month: higher, against an average of CII
"His Majesty's Government look inches." forward to the establishment of new Egyptian relations on a permanent footing satisfactory treaty establishing our relations to both countries." But the with Egypt upon a new status

#### EXPLANATION OF YESTERBAYS CARTOON

#### The Duke Of Diamonds

(1804-1873) left his throne and kingdom forever on September All communications intended for 7, 1830, when an enrayed mob publication should be addressed to stormed his palace. He took with the Editor, and be accompanied by him a fortune estimated at about the Writer's Name and Address \$100,000,000, mostly in dismondi

> After travelling across the continent, the Duke finally settled in Geneva. Switzerland. He chose the Swiss city as a result of being conrieously treated by a local wrote just before she died to policeman, and decided to make the city his sole heir. About 40 years later, a traffic cop rebuked Duke for driving on the left, and almost caused the Duke to revoke long illness." his bequest.

intestate and his fortune fell to peror of Abyssinia about the slave the city. With some of it a huge monument to the Duke was erect obtained much of my information. Of all the wonders that come ed on the shores of Lake Geneva which was true but supposed to be out of Egypt none could be more An illegitimate daughter claimed private." tartling at the present time the fortune. Her contest caused a than the decision taken by the lawsuit which lasted until 1935, to recommend the restoration of uphold the city of Geneva as the n rightful heir to the Duke's estate.

#### Ate A Bear With The Bear's Own Teeth.

tical change, which has long national "Believe It or Not" conbeen desired by the extreme Na-test, goes to Miss Doris Lee of Nessim Pasha and his Cabinet Nimrod Robertson's unique dental were preparing to resign in accomplishments in the wilds of

and decided himself to country for his genius and the ununusual happened when his health It cannot be pretended that a began to fail. He decided that the bear he hung up to freeze, and

## FLOOD MENACE IN FRANCE

#### Threatening Rise Of The Loire

-CHINA MAIL " SPECIAL

Paris, To-day. The River Loire rose conlife at the appropriate moment; ing-class tenements are located it was for the Egyptian Govern- has already been flooded.

ment to decide the form that In Chantenay the tramway traffic has been interrupted, as Now that it is clear that the the water in the streets is Wafd have been diligently forc- standing a metre high. The ing a door that was always railway service on the Paris-

# SUBSIDIARY COINS BEING

Nanking To-day .- Acting upon instructions from the Ministry of Finance, the Central Mint began to coin subsidiary coins yesterday. In view of the pressing demands, the subsidiary coms will be circulated as soon as approval is granted by the Central Government Central News Agency.

present conditions in Abyssims such as the measures necessary make it difficult to negotiate a to-day would not belie.

# Everywhere.

INTHETIC LOCAL COLOUR

Many people have assumed that Winifred Holtby, who died scently most have known Abyssinia intimately in order to give the verisimilitude which makes Mandos, Mandos!" so convincing a novel about that country

In a letter which Miss Holtby correspondent in America, she said: "I wrote Mandoa," in nurs ing homes and suchlike madvenmrous places recovering from

She adds that Lord Buxton, the trade, wanted to know 'how I had

Actually it came from guidebooks and reports, and from conwhen the highest tribunal finally versations with people who knew

The outstanding case of imagination novelist who în. travelled the world he had never seen was Jules Verne, who rarely stirred a mile from his village that her subjects look upon as near Amiens.

A contemporary British write who marvellously captures flavour of places he has never seen is James Hilton, whose Russian "atmosphere" in "Knight Without Armour and Tibetan "atmosphere" in "The Lost Horizon" purely imagined. But Mr. Hilton proposes in the immediate future to travel round the world

This question was discussed the other day with Ann Bridge, who tian war galleys once swept its knows intimately China and Illyria, which have made the background of her novels. She is all for novelist sticking to things he knows at first hand. In the other sort work, she says, an expert can ways spot the cracks.

#### Your Daily Smile.

ALL IN VEIN A retired business man, village that he can sit and listen to his arteries hardening.

and made soup of them."
"Sh-h-h! Not so loud," exclaimed a

# GET ON-OR GET

## SWEAKNESSES IN MEDITERRANEAN

#### ADEQUATE AIR DEFENCE NEEDED FOR MALTA AND GIBRALTAR

(By Captain Norman Macmillan)

the centre of the Mediter ranean, is untenable against either French or Italian air ac Breds 64 tion. Gibraltar is within the Savois S 79 range of Italian bomber operat- Piagro P 16 ... 248 ing from Sardinia. Our mandate in Palestine does not give us the per - whose prototype was proright to turn that country into an duced through the foresight of a armed base. Egypt we have sur private citizen, Lord Rothermere rendered to the Egyptians, there will re-establish our position by abnegating our right of make against the Piaggio P 15 when it a stronghold of British power. Thus Britain's ancient strate have learned to use it, the Royal

gical command of the Mediterranean has been swept away. Rome's Herstage

Italy bids fair to dominate the JIVING VERNE DID NOT TRAVEL Mediterranean-from the Levant. along the northern shores of Africa, through - the narrows to the Ligurian Sea; and with that domination her status has risen once again to the proud position their rightful heritage from the days of the grandeur of Rome.

This swift turning of the tables has resulted from Italy's development of air power to suit her strategic poition in the Mediterranean basin. From Sardinia in the west to Rhodes and Cyrenaica range the whole of the Mediter our present forces? ranean Sea, as Roman and Vene-

Most people in Great Britain do not appreciate the real strength passage of our shipping through of Italy at the present time. They the waterway of the Mediterrando not realise that her bombing ean. That place is Cyprus, an fleets are superior to ours in numbers, speed, range and carrying adequate base, large enough to capacity. With typical British support a garrison on a scale replacidity they say to themselves, quisite to meet the situation. "We really cannot be so badly off. We must have something up our

The New Eagles

rabbits from a hat.

fellow boarded. "The landlady might ing bomb load, or bomb load in- would not be safe; they could be creased by reducing range.

Savoia S-72 183

Although the new Bristol Bomdeliveries are effected and pilots Air Force squadrons have nothing to equal these Italian performan-

ces at the present time. What does this mean? With Gibraltar an ancient fort-

ress that could fall before aerial attack as the forts of Liege, and Namur fell before the onslaught of German heavy artillery -(Montgolfier considered serial attack against Gibraltar with his fire balloon in 1783) with Melta an untenable island from which our fleets have withdrawn to Alexandria and Haifa, we must consider the possibilities that exist in the event of war.

Must we face evacuation of the Mediterranean or risk possible dein the east, Italian planes can lest if we attempt to hold it with

Wings Over Cypens

There is but one place where we have still the right to maintain armed forces to protect the island large enough to form an

-But it is useless to consider 2 proposal to turn Cyprus into huge naval base. Apart from its lack of natural harbours, unpro-This attitude makes me shud tected naval ships could never The Air Ministry cannot maintain free passage in the bring high-speed bombers out of Mediterranean from Port Said to its sleeve as a conjurer produces the narrows between Sicily and Tunisia, where lies the Italian is-Here are the performances of land Pantelleria. Naval ships the great explorer, at the boarding- some Italian bombers calculated could not guarantee safe passage house table, but we cut up our boots for a range of 1,200 miles. The from these narrows to the Straits range can be increased by reduct of Gibraltar. Even submarines (Continued on Page 10)

#### "BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



# CONGREGATION THE UNIVERSITY

# PROMINENT PERSONS HONOURED

AND DR. THOMAS' SOUTHORN H. G. EARLE

The conferring of Degrees of LLD. "honoris causa," on two of the Colony's distinguished personages, the Honourable Sir Wilfred Thomas Southorn, K.B.E., C.M.G., M.A. (Oxon.), and Dr. Herbert Gastineau Earle, M.A. (Cantab), was the main feature at the 27th Congregation of the University of Hong Kong, which took place yesterday afternoon, when 45 graduates received their degrees.

The Vice-Chancellor, Sir William Hornell, C.I.E., LL.D., M.A., presented the two gentlemen to be honoured with honorary degrees, which were conferred by the Chancellor, His Excellency Sir Andrew Caldecott. The occasion was marked with the The great Hall was filled to seat but immediately rose and, reappropriate ceremony.

friends of the young graduates, beg to request Your Excellency to Hornell, in welcoming the new M.A., who has been found worthy, to which our Empire of sportsmen four-pence a week," the Dean confellow who used to be a lancer, to which our Empire of sportsmen four-pence a week," the Dean confellow who used to be a lancer, to which our Empire of sportsmen four-pence a week," the Dean confellow who used to be a lancer, cluded quaintly, "that they may retired to be the caretaker of a

cellor of the University since frid Thomas Southorn. By virtue should do so in the confidence that, ing God and being not unmindful to the confidence of the University since frid Thomas Southorn. By virtue

its income. The University has lor. met the situation in the only way open to the honest poor by con- served in the case of Dr. Earle fining its expenditure for this who was next presented for the year within the limits of its cur-conferment. tailed income.

phetic warning publicly proclaim- excellency said:—

Ho Suk-yee, Lo Chung-fie, Ng ed the University is not going to "I wish, before declaring this Yeok-kin, Lenng Tin-sun, O. I. E. de the Emperor "Hail Caesar-Those versity has just poured its chrisin Gorachenko, Lan Ping-kwong, who are about to die sainte you." of highly deserved honour upon Sir Soo-kok, Ng Kee you. A. C. spair but rather an utterance of We all know that the applause The Degree of Bachelor of Arts E. Zimmern T J. D. dos Remedian; Geoffrey Puttock entered, his

Borrett, and welcomed his suc-Maj-General Bartholomew, who had been, recalled, a fellow-student of his at Oxford.

The Vice Chancellor went on to refer to the death, during the past year, of a life-member of the Tottenham and R. R. Campbell mascot, are not going to despair. having left and their places filled my classical studies I cannot respins Scholarship), Mr. Chow by Professor Nixon and Mr. manner what a respins to the Ship-lim (Chan Feel Mr. Ship-lim (Chan Feel M fessor of Chinese.

Sir William then referred to the resignation of Professor J. L. Shellshear, and spoke in landstory terms of his scientific attain- Kong. The community owes them Chancellor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, ments and his great work for the its gratitude and I here and now Kt., C.M.G., C.R.E., the Mace Bearer, a life-member of the Court of the humbly and cordially all who are tineau Earle, M.A., M.B. (Cantab), S'udies in the Hong Kong College University in an honorary capacity of Medicine, the Dean of the (S) became the Faculty of Medicine for the University: to both him and to Dr. B. W. A. Moore, who had sity's Court and Council, he ex- but inevitable, climar or gravamen Smith, Hon. Mr. E. Taylor, Hon. Sir Recreio. tended congratulations for the of my remarks I sincerely laspe Showson Chow, Hon. Mr. R. M. Henthem by His Majesty.

Sir William then, in a few they have been in the past, friendly felicitous words, referred to the and peaceable bedfellows. But it presence of Sir Robert Ho Tung is the duty of the Governor to imand his daughter, one of the press upon the Chancellor that he Colony's most distinguished medical graduates, and to Mr. En Tong has already grabbed more than his being interred in a target of a gymnasium to the University, after which he introduced Dr. Herbert Gastiness Mr. Tangaper, Mr. A. B. Simpson, Professor J. L. Shall I. Griffin, Mr. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. Kwan Po. De choose name is Mrs. Tangaper, Mrs. Chan. C presence of our modern no lung is the duty of the Governor to im- Kon Seng, Dr. R. H. Kotewall, Mr. and his daughter, one of the is the duty of the Governor to im- Kon Seng, Dr. R. H. Kotewall, Mr. Earle, giving a resume of his distinguished career.

Patrick Manson we are giad to add to your name to the list of the intend to detain you now with an inte to help the medical work of the transfer of the University in every possible way the congress the warm Mr. Long Shin Kin, Mr. R. C. H. Lin, Webstine, Mr. Dr. R. grounded his staff's and stoof to that you can. Our appeal will not the control of the



tives of soll branches of local life Thomas Southorn to the Chancel- are in Blosson Time" now showing

expacity with the representation moving his hat, conducted Sir and many gratified parents and lor. He said: Mr. Chancellor, I at the Queen's Theatre. confer on the Hon- Sir Wilfrid

sity has no control have reduced the congratulations of the Chancel-The same ceremonial was ob-

The Governor's Speech

"But in spite of a solemn pro- In closing the Congregation His

(Applause). In giving Congregation closed, to say just a Sousa, Wei Check-sheng. Wong you this assurance I have behind very few words. Firstly I want Shun-fong, Wu Hung-tak, Yeung me every member of the Univer- to thank the Vice-Chancellor very Tsaw-che and Chung Hon-kwan sity's Court and Council and the cordially for the kind way in which Khoo Keng-wah. weight of our new Chancellor he has welcomed a freshman-Chan- The Degree of Bachelor of authority. Therefore our welcome cellor; and secondly, and chiefly, I Science in Engineering was con-junior championship. to your Excellency is not the ac- want to say how fortunate I count ferred on the following: claim with which the gladiators myself to have been the funnel, as Fong Ching-see, Ho Shin-lai, Lee fat; First Round: L T. Yenng v R. as they entered the arena greeted it were, through which this Uni- Zur-dan, Ng Cheong-ling. Sin Woon- D. Shinnan S. C. Shinnan S the Emperor "Hail Caesar-Those versity has just poured its chrism to, Wong Cho-tong, H. L.

Sir William then went on to re- Lady Southorn in this Great Hall this afternoon will reverberate Miss Daisy Chos, John Stephen Ho, dies v.C. S. Strange; A. Koh v.E. A. ing very hair, his forehead twitthis afternoon will reverbed the O Pu-sheung. Wu Hoo-kong, Chan Sours; Tam Bun-hun v E. Compton; C throughout the length and breadth Ye-san, Miss Mary Cheung Yuet E. C. Fincher v Lum Yin-wan; C of the Colony, where our fellow Wah, Chos Wing-ki, Lan Tin-chak, Wellings v Simon Chan; F. citizens have long learned by ex- Miss Wong Sin-kwong and perience to identify Hong Kong's Tsang-yee. premier public servent and his wife with the public's foremost and

most assiduous friends. Trojan Potency" difficult subject on which I feel that to the Chancellor: I am bound to say something Young Wei-lam (Ng Li Hing Medwith me as their man and their Hung tak (Anderson Gold Medal). member whether Teucer ever found Shiu-lim (Chan Kai-ming Engineerhimself up against a slump, but it he did I hope that he found the Tang Chi-keung (Ho Fook Arts Schostaff of Himm University as larship), Mr. Yih Dachin (Chan Kaigracious and philosophic in their ming Arts Scholarship). acceptance of a salary cut as their

contributing to the welfare of this the Treasurer, the Dean of the

Shall Trelawney Die? that the Governor of this Court derson, Hon. Mr. W. H. Bell, Hon. nour recently bestowed upon of this Collegy of the Chancellor of this Collegy of the one part, and the Chancellor of this University, of the Chancellor of this University, of the Chancellor of this University, of the Chancellor of the Chancellor

stands in serious used of external Talati, Mr. P. J. de Rome, Mr. F. E. Mr. Pao You Lum, Dr. W. Lei Fook, too. He has inrued refrectory into

shall resort to that more homely nity."

Regular Degrees compassion of the pious. The Degree of Bachelor of They have a cook, a matron and gery was conferred on the fol- of the Cathedral, to read prayers

lowing:-In Absentia:-Lan Yong-boon and

Silva, Tan Kin-sni, and Feng tze-pei. Santos; L. Hodges v J. F. V. Ribeiro; ed door and beckoned.

In Absentia:- Richard Chang. Lim Teng-lim, Cheng Yu-hasi, Wong T. F. Jordan v Chang Kwai-leung; A. Mr. Noah of the nursery. Kok-fuen and Phirose Bejan Tata.

The following who had been "There is a third, and a more awarded scholarships, were presented

Medical Faculty Scholarships: Mr. graduates, Dr. Louis Finot and The Vice-Chancellor has invested cal Scholarship), Dr., Chiu Pat-po Dr. Reginald Walter Brock, and my name with a Trojan potency (Ho Fook and Chan Kai-ming Schoand has assured you that his staff, larship and Jordan Medical Scholar-Engineering Faculty Scholarships:

Arts Faculty Scholarships -- Mr.

The procession was comprised of modern counterparts in Hong the following:-His Excellency the "I also desire to thank TEY CMG. M.A. (Oxon.), Herbert Gas-Gen. A. W. Bartholomew, the Regis-Honour Mr. R. E. Lindsell, the Hon. C. G. Alebester, The Rt. "And now I come to the difficult, Rev. Bishop Hall, Hon. Mr. N. L.

To-day's Short Story

TONIC

Kent

FREE PILGRIM'S HOUSE, or, daily and supervise, the running as the stone panel over the of the home. door names it with Elizabethan Two of the old men are cast in flourish. "The Lodging of the turn for light duties about the Poor Pilgrim Brothers of Dean place. For the rest, they have Porter," stands astride the pre-their pipes and papers. cincts wall of Canchester Cathe- can spend the morning on their dral, an old stone building that garden plots, or sally forth with was a stable centuries ago be-closk and staff into the precincia fore the philanthropic Dean or the town, where their pictureshad it adapted to the needs of que effect often awakens in tourtwo-footed brothers. It has ists an interest that may express ample sleeping accommodation itself in tobacco or silver change. for the Pilgrim Brothers and a The long blue cloak, the polish refectory hall with the terms ed silver buckle, the broad-rimof Dean Porter's will set forth med black hat with the silver in gilt letters on a blackboard cockle shell on its band and the Aft staff certainly give an air to over the Tudor hearth. "Eight old decayed men of the the narrow streets of Canchester.

town" the Dean had decreed to be bestowed there, provided with shelter, warm lying, food, and a Richard Tanker and Jane Baxter hat, cloak and staff, in semblance of a pilgrim, That others seeing might have in mind how we are all pilgrims faring towards Eter-

His Excellency said: "Sir Wil- pressive name of badgering". I dwell together in concord, praisof the anthority vested in me I he was the question had really to of him that set them there. "Our new Chancellor" he said confer on you the degree of Doctime of stress nor is his office go. The Registrar placed the hood would be (as in Robert Hawker's grown more valuable in time, and beard of a grandee and, as he in the stress nor is his office go. The Registrar placed the hood record to be a singular to be a s ing to be a sinecure. Circum-on Sir Thomas's shoulders and Sir beauty Here's twenty the testamentary fourpence has stances over which the Univer-Thomas then advanced to receive the reason why? And, on this ald described here registed him and like reason why? And, on this ald described here registed him and like reason why? men, I now declare our Congrega- lucky above any other in Canchester whom Time has left to the

Medicine and Bachelor of Sur- a warden, who is a minor canon

(Continued from Page 5.)

Junior Championship Evans; Ma Chae-man v Tai Kwai- me to-day, Matron?"

Sours; Tam Bun-hun v E. Compton; ching with vexation. Sequeira & S. M. White: S.

fun; Wong King-sing v J. E. Noronha; a casualty." received a bye into the Second Round | kept a little shop inside the cathe-The following are next week's fix-dral gates where people bought

MONDAY Clab Lustano:

A. W. Grimmitt v W. Hong Sling

Cheero Chib: Ma Che-man v Tai Kwan-int (S) TUESDAY Lugitano:

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Lam Cho-cha. VP. A. Yvanovich (S) THURSDAY F. R. Zimmern T. A. R. Selby (J) A Koh T E A Souza (J)

Earle, giving a resume of his distance of his

By Michael

TO-MORROW'S STORY

Think It Was Schenectady," by Walter R. Brooks.

Walter March is an imposing The Vice-Chancellor, Sir Wm. Thomas Southorn, K.B.E., C.M.G., and intensive method of approach "And let each among them have figure of a Pilgrim. He is a tall

procession in himself." To see him pacing the cathedral nave with cape thrown back and head held high one would judge him to be a samtly old man. The Warden, holding what they

term "Court" twice a week, is better able to judge. After routine matters of bills and repairs and supplies, he comes to Brothers' Pleas," where he deals with personal needs and grievances. He had reached that stage one The following is the draw for the morning with "Any visitors for

Miss Westmacott sighed. There She opened the deep embrasur-

spair but rather an utterance of hope and quiet confidence."

Sir William then went on to re
We all allow and the appearance of which acclaimed Sir Thomas and was conferred on the following: F. R. Zimmern v. Dr. J. A. R. Seiby; she bis forehead twite to the forehead twite the forehead twite to the forehead twite to the forehead twite twite the forehead twite the forehead twite twite the forehead twite twite the forehead twite twi

the clock and looking rather like

"No, sir. No. Physically I am guide books and picture postas evidence of that superiority. My distress, sir,

mental and not physical." "That sound terribly serious, said the Warden.

Puttock produced a hand from his clock to accentuate his words. "Not to put too fine a point on it, sir the sergeant is an arrogant jackanapes."

"Dear, dear, dear," said Muri Chan-jed T. A. Broadbridge Warden. "What has he been up

"He destroys the liberty of the subject, sir, insisted Brother ment destroying the liberty of the "I can hardly call him over the

coals for being a fly in the outment, said the Warden ressonably.

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Savoury Appetizers | quotations (without guarantee) Hors Courses yesterday were: New York, 40-Dainty Sandwiches, 26; Paris, 609; Amsterdam, 59,-THE DAIRY FARM and the dollar, 15.15%-15.25%. Trans-Ocean Service

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#### LOCAL DOLLAR STEADY

#### "Forward" Silver Not Quoted

The local dollar is steady, openon demand this morning at 1/3%d.

silver was quoted at

The London on New York crossrate was quoted at 5-U.S.\$4.92% as compared with &-US\$4.92%. Deposite | While the New York on London cross-rate was quoted at 5-US-\$4.931/s, as compared with £-U.S.-

## SILVER POLICY

# "Mutually Satisfactory

Agreement"

Washington, To-day. Mr. Morgenthau announced that "mutually satisfactory agreement" had been reached in the conference with Senor of Mexico. Mr. Morgenthan said that the Saurez conference had been concluded, but refused to elaborate his state-

ment-Reuter-LONDON MARKET WEAK The silver market was weak yesterday, the "spot" price for bar being a penny lower at 201/2d per ounce. The decline was due mainly to speculative selling. This price is the lowest since August 3, 1934-British

#### Wireless Service. YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

#### Latest Quotations

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he following quotations from London were received last night between 5.30 p.m. and 10.30 p.m. Silver Spot 211/4 (last close), 201/

(last recd.), 1d down (change). Silver Forward unquoted. Silver Report:-There was general The market was steady at

the fall. Liverpool Cotton-May 6.11 Clast close), 6.09 (last recd.), .02 down Liverpool Wheat-March 6/6% (last close), 6/6 (last recd), 1/6 down (change). London Rubber-April-June (buy-

ers) 6-11/16 (last close), 6-13/16

#### (last recd.), 1/8 up (change). BERLIN SHARE MARKET

#### Slightly Weaker Tendency

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL Berlin, To-day.

The share market yesterday was weaker in tendency, huying orders being few owing to the opening of the application lists for the 47/2 per cent. Treasury Bills of the German Railways, the closing date being January 16 A 5 percent. increase in treight rates on the German Railways announced by the Minister for Traffic Baron von Eltz-Ruebenach had little

effect on the share market. The fixed interest securities market was quiet, but industrial bonds were firmer. Call money was at 2% to 3 per cent Trans-Ocean Service

#### RECHSMARK QUOTATIONS

Berlin, To-day. - Reichsmark 275; and London, 12.26. The Paris sterling quotation was 74.67-74.70,

#### U.S. FINANCES 110283 H 157

#### BUDGETSESTMATES INTRODUCED

#### DEFICIT LARGELY DECREASED

Washington, To-day. healthy state of the country's finances was the keynote of President Roosevelt's The following is the list of local message to Congress, introducshare quotations issued to-day:ing the budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1937. The President said that the finances of the Government were in better condition than at any time Mercantile Bank A. and B. during the past seven years while the credit of the Govern-

ment was very high. "Our policy is succeeding." said. The figures prove There is to-day no doubt of the fundamental soundness of policy of 1933. If we proceed along the path followed we can look forward to a continued reduction in TVA. Hence, we recommend fol- THE Undersigned have received deficits, increased tax receipts, and lowing the strength of utility

declining expenditures for needy and unemployed. "My budget message of January 1935 forecast expenditures in 1936 of \$8,520,000,000. Our most recent estimate shows that the expenditure will be \$7,645,000,000, or \$875,000,000 less than the forecast 730,000 shares. Receipts were estimated in Jannary 1935 at \$3,992,000,000. present it appears that they

be \$4,411,000,000, an increase \$419,000,000. "My message of January 1935 forecast the gross deficit \$4,528,000,000. but the most recent figures show that the deficit will be \$3,234,000,000, a decrease of

\$1.294,000,000.\* DEBT RETIREMENT Referring to the budget for the fiscal year 1937 President Roosevelt declared that to run its requi would need \$5.069.000.000. "I expect to pay for these activities." the President said, "with receipts! H.K. and K. Wharves (old) \$5,654,000,000 leaving excess of receipts of \$585,000,000, H.K. and K. Wharves (new) penditures, the gross deficit 1937, without the estimate for additional work of relief, is less than the gross deficit of 1936 by \$2,136,-

000,000." NO NEW TAXATION Reviewing the fiscal year 1936 President Roosevelt said that the Sh.\$75 receipts were expected to total \$4,410,000,000, as compared with been received by Renter. Shanghai Cotton (new) Sh.\$41% estimated receipts of \$3,991,000,-000. Expenditures, including debt retirement, were expected to total New York Cotton:-\$7,645,000,000. as against an March ..... 11.33 original estimate of \$8,520,000,000. May ..... 11.10 These revised estimates showed a July ..... 10.86 gross deficit in the current fiscal October ..... 10.54 year of approximately \$3,234,000,- December (1936) 10.55 H.K. Lands 4% Debentures \$100 000 instead of the original budget Spot ...... 12.10 forecast of \$4,259,000,000.

Turning to 1987 President March ...... 13.78 Metropolitan Lands Sh. \$10 n. Roosevelt said that the receipts May ..... 13.93 ed to be adequate. No new addi-September .... 14.22n tional taxes would be proposed December .... The gross deficit of 1937 was Chicago Wheat:estimated at \$1,098,000,000, as May ..... 102-/2 compared with an estimated gross July ...... 911/4 H.K. Tramways \$141/2 s., \$14.60 deficit for 1936 of \$3,234,000,000, September .... 901/8 but 1937 did not allow for possible Chicago Corn:additional work relief expendi-May ..... 61% tures - Reuter

### WAGE ADVANCE TO MINERS

#### NEGOTIATIONS NOT July YET OVER

# MINE-OWNERS' MEETING

AGAIN ADJOURNED London, To-day.

The meeting of the National Cald. Macg. (Ond.) Sh.\$191/2 m Executive of the Mine-owners' Federation, which was adjourned from before Christmas till yesterday, has been further adjourned till after to-morrow's Conference between the miners and re-Dairy Farm \$211/4 b. \$211/4/40 presentatives of the colliery owners, when the latter have undertaken to give detailed particulars of the offer previously communicated to the mens representatives in general terms, in response to the miners claim for 2 wages advance.

The owners have been in negotiation with the various categories of large-scale consumers, whose supplies are governed by long-term contracts, with a view to Constructions (new) 35 cts. b. obtaining higher prices for coal Ito enable them to advance wages. Ch. Govt -5% 1925 G\$Bdr - The results of these negotiations and advances which they

#### NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

#### Certain Purchases Advised

#### EFFECT OF U.S. SUPREME COURT DECISION

Messrs. White Weld and Company. New York Correspondents for Messrs. S.E. Levy and Company, report:-

pecially for food, textile, baking, will be recognized. packing and tobacco shares Moreover the division of Court decision of six to three, plus the finality of the decision, gives encouragement to the thought that the Supreme Court will disallow other pending suits, such as the shares. We see no deflation in Auction

the farm income for 1936 as payment) for contracts have already been made and will probably be carried-out. We would recommend purchases of mail-order, motor and farm equipment securities on weakness. Business done:-3,-

"Wheat:-We think that will A.A.A. decision will not affect winter wheat as this is already planted. The decision will have but little influence on Spring wheat as the acreage is largely plowed. Supply positions continue bullish and we would buy May wheat on weakness.

sales:-10,989,000 bushels Corn: -1,902,000 bushels. "Cotton:-The A.A.A. decision invalidates voluntary control and benefit payments. Consequently, lar activities the Government we expect increasing pressure of new-crop cotton, especially De-

cember options. "Flash:-Cram's estimate o the production of cars and trucks in the United States and Canada of which I need \$580,000,000 for during the week ended January 4th indicates 65,840 units, against 71,335 units the previous week Steel mill activity during the past week is estimated at 49.2 per

cent the previous week

The following quotations have Prev. Yesterday Closing Closing 10.45 New York Rubber .-Winnipeg Wheat:-May ..... 887/8

893/8

..... 1.97

New York Silk:-

May ..... 1.97

July

#### Latest Quotations From Singapore

Mesers. H. B. Joseph & Co. have received the following Straits Currency quotations from Singapore for Raw Rubber. Spot 22-3/4. Up 3/4 b., 23 s.

February/March 23 % Up 10 -23 % 1.

24 % s. Market:—Firm.

#### AFFORESTATION IN SHENSI

#### Grant Remitted By Nanking

Nanking, To-day, H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 5% n. will render possible will be and terday approved the preliminary out the afferestation project as nounced to the Union represent measures for the promotion of soon as possible, has remitted a H.K. Govt. 33/2% Loan par. n. tatives at to-morrow's meeting - afforestation along the embank. sum of \$6,000 to the latter.—Cen-

#### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

#### RUGBY FOOTBALL INTERPORT

## OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

NOTICE NEWSPAPER PRISE LIMITED "Stock:-Our view of the im-thorised by this club to publish olications from the Supreme the Official Programme of the Court's decision regarding the Rugby Interport and to obtain Agricultural Adjustment Admin- advertising for the said Proistration is generally bullish, es- gramme. No other programme

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PUBLIC AUCTION

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#### Auctioneers. Hong Kong: 7th. January, 1936.

## WEEKLY MARKET REPORT

#### Trading Decidedly Restricted

CLOTH AND YARN RATES HIGHER Messrs. James F. Hutton and

Co., Ltd., Manchester, reported as follows on December 4:-Cotton prices have continued their upward movement during cent of capacity, against 46.7 per the past week, and both cloth and yarn rates have been higher. Trading has been decidedly restricted and offers generally have been on the basis of prices ruling

a week or two ago. Demand from India has continued to be disappointing. Whilethere has been a fair amount of enquiry to hand, much of it has been price-testing, and offers. where they have been received, have been on a very low and sometimes impossible basis. Naturally business has been dif-

ficult to arrange. Calcutta Enquiry Enquiry from Calcutta has led to small lots of dhooties and several lines of light whites being placed. Karachi is said to have booked sarries in moderate quantities, while there has been a quiet enquiry for dyed goods for Bombay, and fancies for certain

of the up-country outlets. There has been a small trade in white shirtings for Ceylon, but with the exception of the Straits Settlements none of the smaller Far Eastern markets have shown much interest in prices. Business in finishing cloths has been arranged for the Near East Egypt has remained quiet, although there has been a moderate demand for bleachers and the lighter styles. Fair orders for prints and coloured goods have again been mentioned for West Africa, while further lots of limbries, blesched shirtings and dress goods have beenbooked with South Africa

Sheeting In Request Sheetings prints and dyes havebeen in some request for South America, while small lines of bleached goods have been placed for the West Indies. Though business for the Continent has not been brisk there has been marked April/June 23 % Up % b., 24 interest shown in dyed cloths for. Scandinavia.

July/September 24 % Up % b. In the Home Trade section contracts have been placed for fancies, and spring dress goods, while business has also been arranged in overall cloths and sheetings. On the yarn side prices continue to be very firm, especially in the Egyptian and finer American counts.

Shensi, as submitted by the-Shensi Provincial Government The Ministry, besides addressing a telegram to the provincial The Ministry of Industry yes. administration, urging it to carry ments of the Yellow River in tral News Agenty

#### "JEKYLL AND HYDE" IN REAL LIFE

Amazing Case In Paris

## SCULPTOR MAULED BY GIANT

The "Jekyll and Hyde" dual personality of a man of gigantic stature is believed to explain a strange drama in a Paris studio. which resulted in a sculptor being badly mauled as if by a

wild animal. sculptor. Schwartz, now lies in a nursing where his injuries are being treated. in his studio.

the door open. when he heard Thinking it was a friend, he did not even turn round.

he looked up he saw against the door a huge grinning creature, a giant 6ft 8in. in height, with arms outstretched and fingers curved as if round an invisible prey.

A terrible light-was in its eyes. M. Schwartz took one step. Then the creature was LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

on him.

"finish" its victim. M. Schwartz United States. escape into the waited.

the giant came out of the build-ed the Inauguration ceremonies ing swinging a stick. The for Fox, Movietone News, by whom crowd followed at a respectful he is employed. Mr. Powell in-

distance.

"He is a retired, very polite however. gentleman, he has lived here a year," said the door-keeper.

witnesses who had seen him leave the studio also identified him "But his expression is !. different now," they said.

kill my family!"

Now M. Schwartz is in a nursing home with a broken shock.—Reuter.

#### WITH INTENT TO DECEIVE

"Beauty Treatment" For Aged Cow

PURCHASER SUES SELLER FOR FRAUD

age and deceive a buyer, a man has rive in Hong Kong on her min time i will be with the gloves moon. At the opening of the Lieut Withers, R.A., J. Hutchinson; been sued for fraud at Hanusovice, annual round-the-world cruise on

aged cow to sell. He found a pro- nesday, March 25 at 6 a.m., havspective purchaser for it in Fran-ing been in port four days, tisek Olbricht, a peasant from the hours.

neighbouring village. Olbricht wanted to see the cow The s.s. Chitral, carrying before handing over the money. He outward English mails, is expected

He did not know then that to allow it to look well the cow had not been milked for several days Marks of age on the horns had been sandpapered away and the animal had been treated wherever necessary to produce a "youthful"

effect. When the cow's real age became plain Winter was sued

overhand. She will sail, for report made to us afficially about that the Bankhead Act will be the United Kingdom proposal on Thursday - British Wireless Vencouver on January 29.



Mr. Wong Sewai, proprietor of A dinner dance will be held at to be bound by a six-year period, received in London from the Bri-Over and over they rolled, the Wing Lee Wai Co., of Hong the Repulse Bay Hotel to-morrow. Mr. Davis said that any period tish Minister in Addis Ababa, Sir Kong, arrived back in the Colony A special extra bus service has chosen must apply to everybody Sydney Barton, of the reports in arms, digging its nails into his this morning by the s.s. President been arranged for the conveni- alike. The present task of the circulation over the week-end that neck. Then the giant clasped Clareland of the circulation over the week-end that

They this morning by the s.s. President Leaves Repulse Bay, 1.00 a.m., Renter. Cleveland from Shanghai. He was 1.15 a.m. and 1.30 a.m. A quarter of an hour later, formerly in Manila, where he film-

day," said the door-keeper, who Hong Kong this time. While in will play selections, and soloists knew nothing of the attack. Manila he broke his ankle, and this will be Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. Portal-"Who is he?" asked a bystand- was responsible for the delay. He lion, Mr. Bonner and Mr. Salter. is well on the way to recovery new,

Grant Understands

and Mrs. H. S. Carpenter, Mrs. tending to subscribe towards the is now being opposed by Japan, wounded Abyssinians attached to grant professional their not only delimits the example of wounded Abyssinians attached to grant their not only delimits the example of wounded Abyssinians attached to grant their not only delimits the example of the exam Iwo poncemen were waiting S. A. Hallett and Miss. M. A. fund are asked to forward their not only delimits the strength of the Swedish. Red Cross unit at | for him. He went quietly to Hallett and Mr. Harrions to Per Hap Wells of the various fleets but also contains the Swedish. Red Cross unit at | the nearest police station Mrs. A. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section a poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought "That's the man. I recognise Mrs. A. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section a poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section a poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section a poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section a poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section a poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section as poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section as poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section as poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought and Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section as poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought as the Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section as poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought as the Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section as poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought as the Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section as poli-by Italian seroplanes, were brought as the Mrs. J. The National Mutual Life Asso-besides its technical section as the Mrs. J. The National 
The giant suddenly, despairManila by the R.M.S. Empress of for the St. John Ambulance Assoingly, understood. "Then it is Asia were Mrs. G. R. Razavet, the cistion (a part of the Red Cross pact, the paper adds, was intended true." he said. "that I have wife of the Canadian Pacific Railtrue." he said. "that I have wife of the Canadian Pacific Railtrue." he said. "that I have wife of the Canadian Pacific Railsudden fits of madness. I am way Co.'s Passenger Agent at sudden fits of madness. I am way Co.'s Passenger Agent at pire) Home Nursing Certificate the Pacific, but this balance has a public danger! I might kill Manila, who is an route to visit will be held at St. John Ambulance been disturbed by the Japanese children, kill my best friend, her parents in the United States. Headquarters on Friday, January action in China, and the question

The R.M.S. Empress of Japan day, January 9. will leave here for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu at noon on Tuesday next.

One case of enteric fever was reported to the Health authorities in the 48 hours ended on Monday.

age and deceive a buyer, a man has rive in Hong Kong on her fifth declared: The fight is on. This Westminster, yesterday after-Friday, March 20 at 7 am. She Hugo Winter, a peasant, had an will leave for Shanghai on Wed-

was shown a young-looking animal in the Colony on Thursday mornwhich gave a good yield of milk. ing at 6-am. from Singapore.

# MUN?

The Canadian Pacific liner Em- Police Stations this morning under the Bankhead Act, pending recess. Manile, and later proceeded to seen in Shing Mun again last A.A.A. decision members of the Trench delegation, drawing Covernment dinner in honour of Kowlean Dock for her annual pight though we have not had any Government had abandoned hope attention to certain provisions of the Naval Conference delegates

arranged for the Cheero Club todistance. tends to make the final "shots" of The orchestra of the Empress of The orchestra of the Empress of Ty," said the door-keeper who Hope Kong the Empress of Language and the Cheer Who Hope Kong the Empress of Language and the Cheer Club tomorrow, commencing at 9 pm.
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ear, said the door-keeper.

Other passengers for the Colony ing an appeal for funds in order to a successful conclusion. One stances.

Half an hour later, the tall by the President Cleveland were: to rent a suitable meeting place must not forget the paper says. A press message from Addis Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Briggs, Mr. and furnishing it, and those in- that the Washington Pact, which Ababa reports that three more him," said M. Schwartz. Other Wild and the Misses M. and Kay ciation of Anstralasia Ltd., -Kai tical part. Ming Building, or Mak Mui-sang This, for instance, provides for plane piloted by the Swedish Baron Esq., No. 95B, High Street, 2nd

will be conducted by Dr. Nash, complex will be conducted by Dr. Nash, complex will be Mr. K. Kitamura, a prominent assisted by a trained hospital complex will be discussed in Lonrib, torn arm muscles, and Japanese author, and Mr. M. Naka-nurse. Non-Brigade members and a famous writer, were also and those wishing to take a repassengers by the President Cleve examination in First Aid and/or it appears to be extremely doubtful land.

Home Nursing are asked to notify whether the London Conference is the Secretary on or before Thurs-

#### SUPREME COURT BLOW TO ROOSEVELT

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beauty treatment" to disguise its at noon to-day and is due to ar-

WHAT NOW?

A.A.A. decision, speculation nathe United Kingdom, to succeed Referee: Dr. J. A. R. Selby. turally lies in the event of the Sir Samuel Hoare. It was agreed next move by the administration by all the delegations that as the Mr. Henry A. Wallace, Secretary Conference had at its plenary modification to ensure practical for Agriculture, and Mr. Chester session elected as President the application of the scheme. The

## WEND CALWORKS HUND TP AT NUGELLI

#### LONDON NAVAL PARLEY

(Continued from Page I

ALTERNATIVE PROPOSALS Vice-Admiral Robert submitted the French proposal, that each Power, including Germany, should notify the League six months shead of the laying down of every maval unit with full details as to the size of the ship's armaments Thus any actual naval reduction would be slung qualitative lines. The Italian spokesman submitted a proposal similar to that of the French, but requiring the no-flying tification at the beginning of each year of the contemplated building plan. Mr. Norman Davis very rounding the camp, where briefly commented on the three Egyptian and European staff

#### Paris Newspaper's Scepticism

DOUBTS EXPRESSED

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Paris, To-day. The Christian Mission to Chin- Monday, Le Figure expresses doubt being sent to the spot to investiese Seamen in Hong Kong is mak- whether the parleys will be brought gate and report on all the circum-

situation as regards the naval Hylander, the wounded Swedish pases and coastal fortifications doctor, who was brought to Addis rived here this morning from An examination (in English) within Hawaii, Singapore and the Ababa on Saturday, is improving examination (in English) within Hawaii, Singapore and the

Since the situation in the blems.-Trans-Ocean Service.

#### Various Criticisms Heard

PLANS TO BE EXCHANGED

For giving a cow special press of Britain leaves New York of the American Farm Bureau, a The Five-Power Conference F. P. Humphreys, Lieut. Winter, London, To-day. stated that Mr. Anthony Eden Garrod W. E. Peers, J. S. Demnett, Washington, Later: With the had been appointed as delegate of Gammell.

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Egyptian Red Cross Bombing

PROTEST BY GOVERNMENT

Government, according to the Press decided to protest vigorously against the bombardment of the Red Cross unit & A report received from the Red Cross delegate Abyssinia, Prince Ismail Danod, states that altogether seven bombs were dropped on the Red Gross camp, and that Italian aviators (veritably showered the camp with fire from machine-guns.

About 30 wounded soldiers who on programmes instead of actual were lying in tents, the report adds, construction, like the French were taken to the brushwood surthe camp likewise found refuge-Trans-Ocean Service.

BOMBINGS CONFIRMED ed that some Powers might choose London: Confirmation has been the ordinary time table, as fol- three schemes or to choose one sinis had been bombed by Italian lows: Leave Hong Kong Hotel, of them as a framework in which aircraft. The unit attacked was Mr. Bonney Powell returned 8.00 p.m., 8.30 p.m. and 9.00 p.m. to seek qualitative limitation."—the Ethiopian Red Cross Ambul-British personnel The unit was bombed and machine-gunned by Italian aeroplanes on January 4. It appears that there were no casualties among the foreign staff.

During the previous bombardment of Daggahbur the immunity of the Red Cross unit, which was at some distance from the town, Commenting on the reopening of was respected. A member of the the Naval Conference in London on staff of the British Legation is

the maintenance of the present von Rosen. The condition of Dr.

#### RUGBY TRIAL FOR TO-MORROW

A trial Rugby match between mura, the "Will Rogers" of Japan, wishing to take the examination Mediterranean and the North Sea Colours and Whites will be will likewise have to be discussed, played on the Club ground tomorrow at 4.45 p.m., following whether the London Conference is which the Colony side to meet the suitable place for the solution the New Zealand Universities of these important political pro- touring side on January 26, will be selected.

The following are the

teams:-Whites:-L. G. Robertson; H. R. McGilchrist, Lient France, R.M., Lient St. Clair Ford, R.N., Mid. Wright, R.N.; A. H. E. Butcher; L Bonnar, Marine Light, G. Chambers, A. F. Walkden, Pay-Lieut.

tion in Congress, possibly pro- presidency devolving ex officio of the United Kingdom proposals, mising Federal aid to the States on Mr. Eden. and suggested that unilateral de-THE TIGER IN SHING which create their own local Discussion of the United King-clarations of naval construction A.A.A., with the object of obtain- dom proposal for voluntary and should be restricted to one year. ing the farm objectives through huilsteral declarations of naval Three plans dealing with the construction over a period of question of the exchange of in-Grass-Cutter's Story

At any rate the Government years was then resumed at the formation will be circulated by must still seek funds to pay the point which had been reached the French, Italian and United when the Committee adjourned Kingdom delegates for examinate day's work a grass-cutter in the day's work, a grass-cutter in ment on the existing Government for the Christmas recess. The tion at the next meeting to-Shatin is reported to have seen contracts. The Government's law- United Kingdom delegate pro- morrow. The idea for the exthe tiger at Shing Mun yester-yers had previously indicated ceeded to reply to the various change of information regarding EMPRESS OF ASIA HAS day, though he did not make any that these were binding, regard criticisms which had been made naval construction is to broaden AMNUAL OVERHAUL official report to the Police. less of the late of the A.A.A. by the Laranese delegation in reliebe basis of the provisions which Enquiries made at the outlying Meanwhile cotton will remain garden the description to the are now contained in the press of Asia arrived in the Co-elicited the answer that "there is the Supreme Court decision there."

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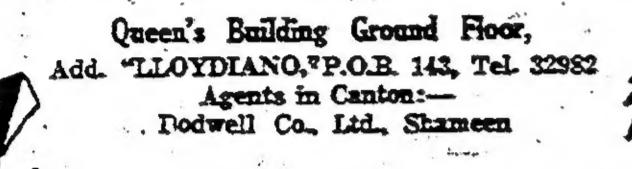
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# THE TONIC

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"You've been a bad boy," said the Warden, shaking his head. "Bad-boy, sir," grinned the sergeant "Sorry, sir, I'm sure." "You won't let Brother Puttock read his paper in peace."

"Meaning a bit of a sing-song

The Warden tapped the desk-"Now, now, sergeant! Outside chapel I never heard singing in this house till you came, except when Stephen Reeves returned from celebrating his eighty-fifth birthday, and no good came of that!"

"Sir," protested the sergeant. "we were all sober."

But they would not have been singing if you had not started

The sergeant's fine white moustaches quivered.

"He interrupts my reading sir." "I thought it was you who interrupted his, sergeant." "In chapel I mean, sir, when I'm

troubled with the Jessybites." "Jebusites!" exploded Brother Puttock.

The Warden remembered that the sergeant having, in his turn, to read the Lesson, had found himself ambushed by the Tribes of Canaan. His reading had sounded something of a duet.

"And to the Harumites." sergeant had announced.

tock, smugly audible. "And the Per-pez-pezarrites," dial, neither would give way. stumbled on the sergeant. "Perizzites," corrected Mr. Put. the sergeant. "Get down."

tock kindly. The atmosphere had become Puttock "Make way for your electrified as the reading had pro- betters." ceeded.

to read that Lesson, sir," lament- arm about the supporting column ed the sergeant, "and by the time of the dial. The sergeant grasp-I reach the Jessybites it's all I ed the bronze pointer. can do to keep from ticking Put- "I always do," affirmed the sertock off, sir."

in-concord?" asked the Warden for gutless conshies." sternly.

The sergeant's monstaches drooped. "It is not, sir."

"Yet those are your orders, the self," retorted the sergeant fierceconditions under which you must lylive as Pilgrims," said the Warden; "don't let me hear any more of these deplorable squabbles."

turned and departed. den's tact to keep those two in determined, by their pilgrim order. They were powder and brothers. spark, petrol and flame, they never met without a flare-up.

The sergeant reports Brother Puttock has annexed part flict, without success. They even of his garden. Brother Puttock considered using force, but feared proves by trigonometry that he is to injure the dial, which was anwell within his bounds, that the cient and much prized. land was lying idle and that the Tea-time brought Matron who sergeant is thriftless and incap- tried rhetoric. able and unworthy to possess any garden.

the sergeant called him a gutless spanked. You'll both catch colds conshy and ought to apologise and get broughitis. Now Brother time they were being built in Brit-publicly. The sergeant retorts Puttock, you are an educated man; ain that anyone who won't stand up stop this nonsense and come into when "God save the King" is tea." broadcast by wireless is a gutless . "I have my self-respect to think and develop our plans without deconshy anyhow.

dinner-table orderly he is given precedent."

battle of the sundial. The sundial stood opposite the You've brought this on your- ranean to-day with air fleets. door into the garden and was selves," said she and shook a Because we were unready, the raised on a broad circular base cloud of pepper before the noses South African War dragged on There was ample room to pass of them both. When they could for three years; the Great War

in opposite directions, should ten table. have met there, nor why, so meet-ing, each should not have gone the Warden brought it before the essence of the air is speed. his separate way in peace. But committee, right reverend, very if there is another war and we Brother Pultock that morning reverend and gaitered.

rider, now a hanlage contractor, the sergeant packing. ing the speed limit.



A scene from "Blossom Time." the B.I.P. production, featuring Jane Baxter and Richard Tanber, which is now being shown at the Queen's Theatre.

found it. He had accused the GET ON — OR GET the sergeant of nosing round for scraps like a dog in a gutter.

"Amorites," corrected Mr. Put- So, finding themselves face to face upon the platform of the "As you were, Brother," said

"I was here first," complained

Both proceeded to dig them-"It's three times now I've had selves in. Mr. Puttock wound his

geant "It's a way we have in "Do you call this living together the army, but we don't make way

"A common fellow," said Brother Puttock to the dial, "A pachydermatous scrounger." "Packy doormat house, your-

"Jessybite," jeered Brother Put-

At that hour the garden was de-The sergeant saluted, about serted and not till the deadlock had lasted half an hour were they It needed more than the War discovered cold, pale and grimly house bombing 'planes in under-

The six old men sought with ad- Mediterranean. But it is no use vice and coaxing to lure the comthat batants from the scene of con-

old men to carry on like babies in top speed of 250 to 300 miles an Brother Puttock complains that the nursery. You ought to be hour.

of, ma'am," returned Brother Put- lay, we may yet be able to main-The sergeant complains that tock, "And such an act on my tain our position in the Mediterevery time Brother Puttock is part would be establishing a bad ranean; but we must act swiftly.

the knife with the broken handle. While Matron was making an hands, security of British hold on Brother Puttock responds that equally fruitless appeal to the the Mediterranean would cease the sergeant's table manners are sergeant one of the Brothers hur- Our ancient channel of communifar from correct, and that the ried to the house and returned cation with our eastern possesknife is as good as he can expect with the kitchen pepper-pot. This sions might be cut. To establish But all these were passing he handed to the matron with a another footing would involve us pleasantries compared with the few words whispered - into her in a direct major war with the

the garden to the house no longer maintain their grip for cost us-over a million lives and without mounting the base at all sneezing Brother Puttock and the countless treasure. We won each There was no reason why Brother sergeant were led off in opposite time because we had the oppor-Puttock and the sergespt, moving directions to meet later at the tunity to hold out while prepar-

Now this is strictly unofficial of Britain. and has never received a word of confirmation, but it has been rumcured that a penny coming down A former Tees side dirt track "heads" on an episcopal palm sent! Having escaped from Oxford

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searched out from the air and destroyed by air bombs more surely than by any other means In Cyprus, however, in the eastern basin of the Mediterran ean, we could base an air fleet trong enough to guard the coast-

line from Alexandria to Haifa; strong enough to prevent the entry of a single ship to Port Said and the Suez Canal; strong enough to cut of Italy's communications with her colonial possessions in East Africa if she declared war on us.

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Cyprus has the advantage of a natural haven for aircraft. It has a big central plain. It is within easy reach of fuel supplies from the pipeline that runs down the Mediterranean shores Palestine. The configuration of the island makes it possible to

There we shall have to set to sending the bombing 'planes we possess to-day to Cyprus. Their range is insufficient, carrying capacity too low, and speed too slow. We require 700 highspeed bombing planes with a radius of action of 1,000 miles, carrying "It is utterly ridiculous for two three tons of bombs, and with a

Such planes can be built It is

Swift Action Needed

If we take time by the forelock He Cyprus were to fall into other people who dominate the Mediter-

ing. Air war was not then a

had seen the sergeant entertaining a bevy of tourists before the for either of the delinquents. On there is another major war it will Lancers Memorial in the Cathe- the other hand, apart from their be because we are not strong dral with vivid reminiscences mutual antipathy, there was little enough to keep the peace we want. which had returned an envisible to be said against them. Yet, ob- Never in history did times exist dividend, or so Brother Puttock viously, these two could never when caution and precaution were dwell together in concord more needed to shape the policy

Mr. W. Blincoe, was on hunger- The committee did what they Preson, a Berkshire man in the strike in the cells at Middlesbrough could for the poor old sinner. King's Own Royal Regiment, stapolice station last month as a pro- They found him a room with the timed at Blackmoor Camp, Aider test against the Road Traffic Act gatakeeper and guaranteed money shot, was recaptured later near Dorchester.

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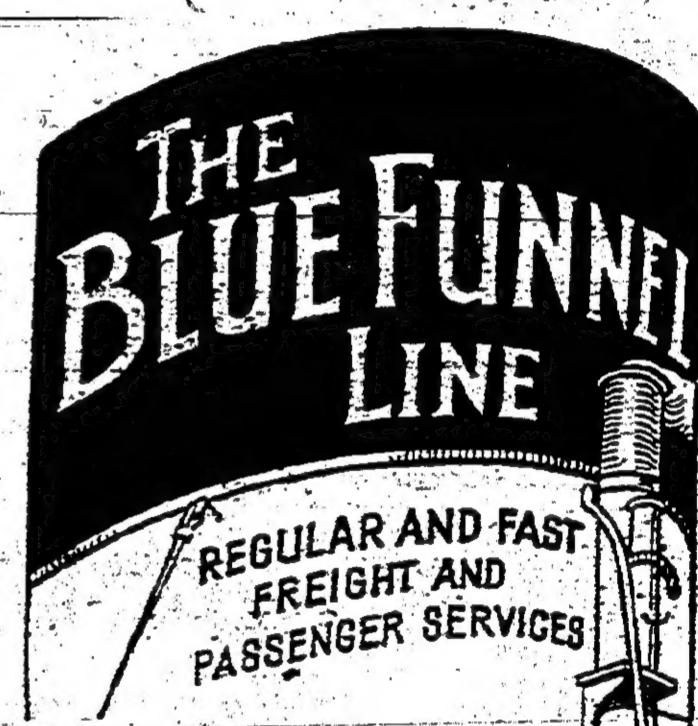
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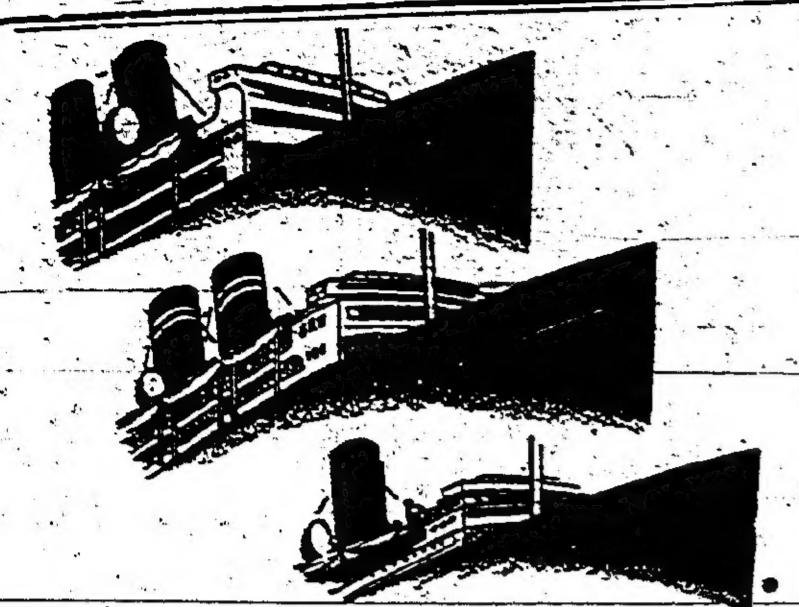
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Agenda For To-day's Meeting

#### AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS

The following are the orders for the day for this afternoon's meeting of the Urban Council -1 Minute by the Chairman re-

lative to the Standing Orders and Rules of Debate. Minute by the Chairman re-

lative to the proposed constitution of the new Select Committees. S. The Chairman, pursuant to notice, will move:-"That in exercise

powers conferred by section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, 1935, the Urban Council makes the following amendment of the by-laws under the heading "Markets" and sub-heading "Market Stalls" set forth Schedule to the above-mentioned Ordinance":-

The following additional by-law is inserted immediately after bylaw 40:-

"40A. No flesh of any animal slaughtered in the Government slaughter-house at Sai Wan Ho shall be exposed for sale in any market in the Colony other than the markets at Quarry Bay, Sai Wan Ho and Shankiwan and no flesh of any animal slaughtered house at Aberdeen shall be exposed for sale in any market in the Colony other than the market at Aberdeen."

#### Scavenging The Chairman, pursuant

Health (Sanitation) Ordinance, 1935 the Urban Council makes the following amendment to the by-laws under the heading "Scavenging contained in Schedule A to the Public Health (Sanitation) Or-

#### Amendment

By-law No. 5 is rescinded and

"5. (i) The occupier of any domestic building, or the occupier or principal tenant, as the case may be, of any flat or floor of a domestic building when such flat or floor is let as separate tenancy, and the occuany other premises situated within any of the districts specified in by-law No. shall provide and keep in such domestic building, flat, floor or other premises (all of which are in this by-law included in the word "Premises") a sufficient substantia movable dust-bins or dust-cans, constructed of impervious materiel and fitted with closely fitting deposit therein from day to day law No. 21:all refuse which has accumulated 22. All Hawkers licences, explace? Not he! Was the fellow ball uncommonly slippery. ed in such premises pending re-cept licences to hawk tobacco, really getting ready for "Last The turi was firm enough

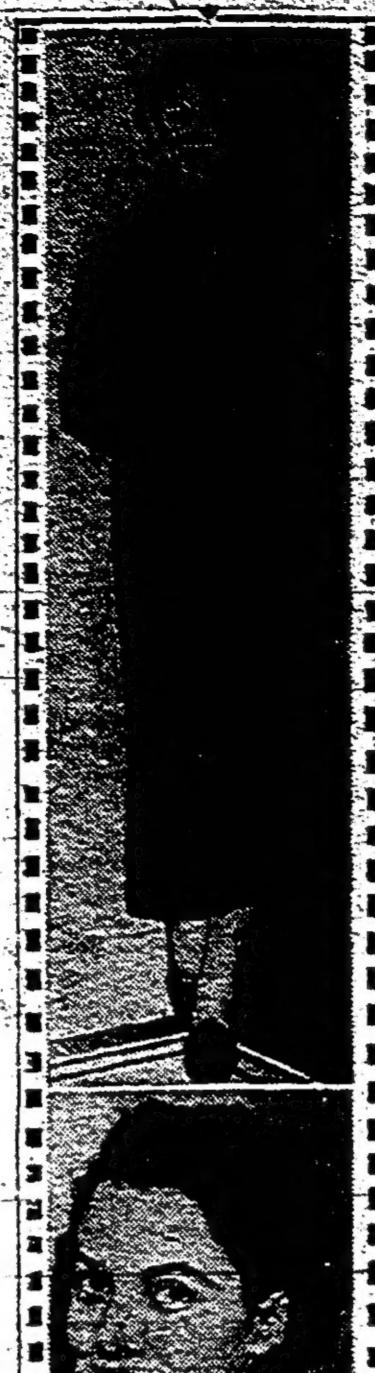
premises all the refuse and other will be considered. objectionable matter and deposit it or cause it to be deposited in the refuse lorries provided by the Council -

this by-law, the Council may re- brandishing fists quire such occupier to empty such dust-bins or dust-cans at least once daily, at such time or thundered the sergeant. times as the Council may appoint, into dust-bins or dust-thused Brother bosts provided by the Council

He shall also give access to any Sanitary Inspector veins. Their or other officer or person an Both were slive again. thorised by the Council for the not felt so well for months. whenever required

with paragraphs (ii) or (iii) of ten minutes ago!"

litter refuse or other waste grimed sheepishly at each other.



It happens in reel life, and real life\_too. A Hollywood talent Scout spotted Lillian Spanbauer (above), aged 21, running an elevator in a New York departwhile, Virginia Walker (below), aged 23, a Boston socialite, was picked by another company's scort who saw her face among 3,000 photographs in a contest.

unoccupied land."

#### Hawkers 5. The Chairman, notice, will move:-

powers conferred by sections 2 and 4, the Urban Council makes

the following amendment of the by-laws under the heading. "A General and Licensing" set forth in the Schedule to the Ordinance sergeant. "Leadswinging. No. 22 of 1935. (Hawkers).

The following additional By-law

the Miscellaneous Licences Or-had Lead-swinging, of course, for New Zealand into a fairly or times as a refuse lorry stops have been issued under these by- Matron wheeling his old enemy to- touch, Beamish smashed away cause to be carried from his In addition the regular returns but his bushy white eyebrows and range drop at goal.

(Continued from Next Column.) the frail should of his ancient fee in a high-pitched, querulous voice, ated the tight scrummages, and and together they started back toprovided by paragraph (ii) of wards the house, their free arms

other's faces. "Conshy-livered

cheeks glowing The blood ran thrilling in their

Behind them, maryeling at the

his premises, or for the purpose of the miracle that she had ing in his pale cheeks, "We'll soon which may have been caused everything but score against the these by-laws are duly complied not heard the Warden's step until see!"

"I wouldn't say that," said Ma- You prove your words," he lentless

vants or members of his house. Marich recepty, will give the ner-

(Continued from Page 10.

enough for his small needs, but the glory had departed from his

The old man was bereft of his uniform, disgraced. He missed the importance of closk and staff and polished silver trappings. He could no longer carry his head

Lingering beside the memorial Lancers who stood with arms reversed, regarding the names of men he had ridden with, visitors barely noticed him ... The old gallant manner had gone. His voice lost its ring, his eye its lustre. His moustache grewdraggled and sad. The morning mist began to trouble him, he gasped and wheezed. He walked with bent shoulders and never, never sang the story of the tall stalwart Lancer who lay dying - and that was rather ironical since the application was fast becoming more

ward saw that the old fellow was breaking up. Well, of course, he would do - what he could for poor old soul, but old people are wearing, specially if they do not rightly belong to you.

Then one sunny afternoon the gateward's wife, just to get him sending in application forms for candidates who wished to apply for the place left vacant by the death. of Brother Marish?

It was not the most tactful thing to ask of the old man, but the gate-She had an uncle for whom she greatly desired the vacancy.

The sergeset made his reluctant Outside the front door he warmly.

wish they'd give it you, been that dull without you. doubt they'll take you in be long now, you mark my words. Regular breaking up, he is."

"No. I come up with a message for Matron," returned the

"It's his .tubes," said Case, shaking his head, him now, getting his chair ready. She wheels him out on

"Don't you believe it," said the Puttock's game. I'll just take a turn round the garden till Matron

sway. Wait for Brother Puttock's turned to rain and made the

caught sight of the sergeant.

Puttock twisted his skinny old out for the line neck to address the matron. You A fine break, but Morris tron. He's an intruder."

expanded self," flung back the sergeant. "If plunged over to score in Matron sends me about my busi- corner. ness, I'll have to stay where I am."

or deposit, or permit his ser focks tonic on the shelf! The chald and want to hear tonic or permit his ser focks tonic on the shelf! The chald and want to hear tonic or permit his ser focks tonic on the shelf!

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the centre time and again, Oliver invariably on hand make the most of an opening?

All Blacks Pack Rattled After the interval the Irish wards set the pace, and forwards set the tremendously good they were A steady drizzle had made the

and nail. New Zealand tooth and threatening at any moment was held up by to shake and scatter the de Ireland heeled, Siggins led them superb three Deering's bald head, in loose once more New Zealand were rush or line out or mani, there defending.

would the ball be also.

too late, and, apart from Mor- between the posts. Immediate gan, a great scrum-half, there by New Zealand Struck back no runners behind the wheeling the scrummage capable of breaking dribbling, heeling, the New Zealand line A stirthat was all and when across the defence, and the end, the Irish domination

resolute as their own.

It was a queer sort of - day, and attacked with for after a brilliantly fine morp-steady persistence. The sergeant's breast housed 2 ing a drizzle set in just before proved by the Council, and shall is inserted immediately after By-tangle of emotions as he turned the game began, a drizzle which

lowing through fiercely in the "You've no right here," he piped loose, but New Zealand dominleaning forward eagerly in his after three minutes McLean expelled picked up the ball in the loose, from a short pass to Griffiths, "Well, what are you going to do and there was Caughey stridabout it?" queried the sergeant. ing through a gap and going all

Oliver took it on with his feet, Siggins kicked a goal. send him about his business, Ma- tackled him, the ball fell clear, "You keep your names for your- and Mitchell snapped it up and

#### Caughey Away Again

moving recuse from any part of the empty chair. So intent was or not," he cried, a flush gather-was away again, finding a gap land mercilessly. Treland did "Yes, you will," returned the the five-eights system of attack. found touch once, twice, three purtenant to such premises be "What?" he questioned, as he sergeant trimmphantly. "Cos my O'Connor tackled Caughey, times with long spinning kicks, enclosed, the door or gate shall noted the two figures now halting business is to give her a message." Oliver dribbled on, Siggins fell and New Zealand had escaped. be opened for such purpose beside the sun dial. "Puttock and Brother Puttock scrambled from on the ball and saved, but the A penalty for offside against March loving like brothers! his chair, bristling with rage. New Zealand pressure was re-Ireland, Gilbert kicked a goal,

thereof except in accordance dead man until he met the sergeant to campon folder. I'm an educated forward off Griffiths' chest, and Bailey, Ireland made their sliced kick sent the ball straight the first time broke round the

game had started our heads and prepared for the particular, was worst, but the Irish forwards by no means subdued. tive stride carried him through They carried play into the New to began a series of bursts from the scrummage which threatenled real danger, and Bailey hit the crossbar with a penaltykick from 40 yards' range.

New Zealand Defending Caughey and Oliver eased the and they tore into pressure with a dash along the right touch-line and Gilbert pounding away, with their feet, tried a shot at goal, but the ball and wherever we could see Hewitt kicked accurately, and

Another penalty-kick by Bai-Unfortunately for Ireland key, and this time he found the this forward bombardment came length, and the ball sailed high gap, Oliver went right-handed scored in the corner.

A good try, but two diagonal iwindled sadly away. ... punts by Hewitt made ground The truth is that New Zealand for Ireland, Morgan - slipped are now too soundly balanced a away on his ow\_ Siggins nearteam to be beaten by helter-ly battered through, and then skelter tactics. They must be Beamish picked the ball up, put held in the tight as well as the his head down and charged like loose, and attacked by three- a bull over the line to score near quarters at least as fast and the posts. Bailey missed the kick, and for the remaining seven minutes of the first half New Zealand heeled regularly,

#### Grand Irish Rush

By this time it was raining and blowing hard, and the Irish moval in accordance with para- cigars and cigarettes, issued under Post?" Crimes! What scraps they'd though, and Gilbert kicked off the Miscellaneous Licences Or-He shall at such a time dinances, 1933, shall be deemed to but his heart contracted as he saw stiff breeze. Morris cleared to ball from half-way, man after or times as a refuse norry stope may be laws and shall continue in force for the collection of refuse at or laws and shall continue in force wards him. The sick man was from the line-out and punted spectators leaping to their feet, thin, waxen-faced and apathetic, ahead, and Gilbert took a long-cheering wildly, until at last cause to be carried from his In addition the regular returns but his bushy white evelvows and range drop at one. beard seemed to stiffen as he The Irish forwards were fol- Siggins was over, hurling himomen but the referee ruled otherwise. Scrum five yards, Griffiths worked the touch-line, Caughey pounced upon O'Connor as he broke clear, and then

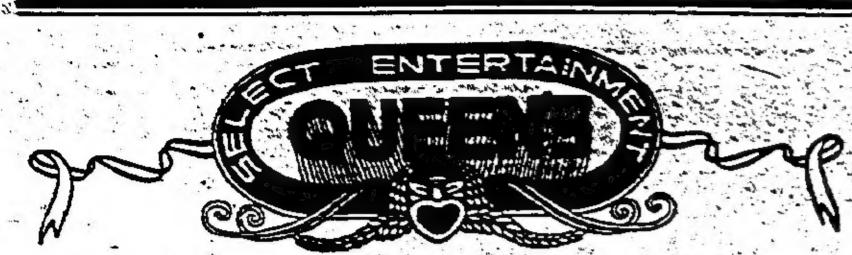
> This was Ireland's chance. for they were only two points behind, and they went at it with la will. Hewitt punted ahead, Morgan tried to dummy Brother Puttock sat up sharply. A flying start for New Zea- through, the forwards swarmed "We'll soon see whether you will land, and before long. Caughey on the ball, harrying New Zea-

came a penalty to Ireland, and

and the gap began to widen. (v) No person shall place any tron cantiously. Bet it's plain piped, shaking his fist. You A scrummage near the line, Siggins went off, a grand rush dust-can or dust-bin in any publisher enjoy their differences prove your words, Sergeant March New Zealand heeled, a pass by Manchester and McLean was dust-can or dust-bin in any publisher enjoy their differences prove your words, Sergeant March from Sadler appeared to bounce countered by Deering, Walker like place or remove the contents Brother Puttock was like a half. You can't talk to me as you would be said to bounce countered by Deering, Walker

into the hands of Oliver, who blind side, Mitchell found touch

merely had to dart a few yards on the Irish 25, another penaland score under the posts. ty kiek for New Zealand an-A goal by Gilbert, and Ireland other goal by Gilbert, and or deposit, any dust, rubbish. And by the sun-dial two old men (Continued at foot of praceding, were eight points down almost immediately, the whistle went



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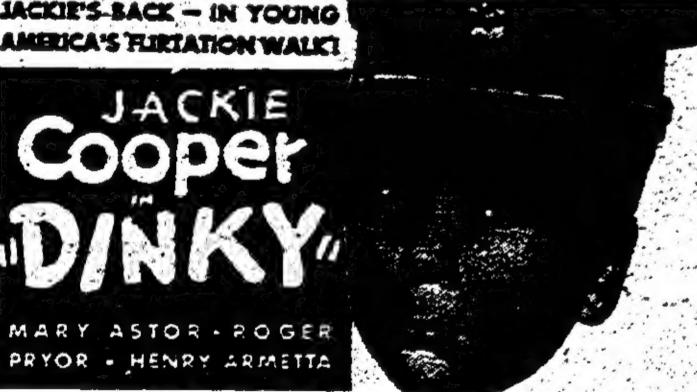
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#### GENERAL EIS UNCERTAINTY

#### APPROPRIATION DEMANDED

ONUS PLACED ON NANKING

From Our Own Correspondent

Canton, To-day. Though appointed commander-in-chief of the anti-Communist forces in Kwangsi Kweichow and Hunan, General Li Chung-jen is enquiring from Nanking the amount of funds it will appropriate for the military campaign and whether all vanking troops in Hunan and Kweichow will be placed under his command -

Unless Nanking gives a satisfactory reply to these queries, General Li is unlikely to take up the concurrent post. Already several battalions of his troops have reached Southern Hunan Southern Kweichow to check the Communists

Missionary circles in Changsha, provincial capital of Hunan, are anxious to locate the whereabouts of Mr. R. Bosshardt, a Swiss missionary of the China Inland Mission, who was captured together with Mr. A. Hayman by the Reds some six months ago.

The two missionaries are regarded as "spies of the imperialists," although Mr. Hayman was released some time ago. Why Mr. Bosshardt is still being held is not known

#### ITALY'S WORKERS IN AFRICA

CONDITIONS BEING IMPROVED

EIGHT-HOUR DAY WITH-OVERTIME

Out of a total of 35,000 pei, which is still being garrisoned Italian workers in East Africa, by the Chahar military, all the 211 deaths were registered other five Eastern Chahar dis- Mr. Yin Ju-keng, chairman of from March I to November 10. tricts, Tushihkou, Kangpo, Pao- the Tungchow rebel regime, who

Italian Embassy. workers are entitled to military from Pailingmiao yesterday morn- patches received here last night rations and have a working day ing. Mr. Pao called on General from Peiping. of eight hours.

sented 70 per cent, and it must result of his Pailingmiso trip. Embassy, that the mortality coefficient is in constant crease from March 1 owing the sanitary measures adopt-

#### Decrease Registered

For the same period the without foundation. amount of sickness has been calculated at 21/2 per cent., a

the work in the lowlands has where he had established his head-kuo. now been completed, and the quarters. workers have, therefore, been transferred to healthier areas, Li Shou-sin, are still at Changpei, aroused student uprisings all over this percentage is following a Mr. Pao added. constant downward curve.

of workers must be supplied Pangkiang shortly of the parties to that used by Army bat local affair. talions."

Workers' Rations

A decree, dated February 25, 1935, provided that each worker shall be entitled to military rations. Workers, therefore, enjoyed the same treatment as China have received instructions double control - administrative and sanitary - by means of inspections (minimum, once a week).

A Royal Decree, dated Feb ruary 27, 1935, laid down the working day at ten hours of leave here for Nanking on Jann-work with a two hours interval. This makes a working day of eight hours as it is practised in Italy," it is added. "Overtime is voluntary and is paid according to scale."-Benter

#### HORSE RESCUED FROM SEA

Six men fought for over half an



Mexico's turbulent political situation was reflected in the rousing welcome given Adolfo de la Huerta, right, former President, and Gilberto Valenzuela, left, who were given an enthusiastic reception in Mexico City when they returned from political exile in the United States after one of the frequent political eruptions.

#### EAST CHAHAR AFFAIRS

Mongolian Garrisons In Service

MR. PAO REPORTS ON HIS TOUR

Peiping, To-day. With the exeception of Chang-

lian forces, according to Mr. Pao expand his bogus government Sung Cheh-yuan yesterday after. The same dispatches stated

port was branded as absolutely tual war with the Soviet Union."

- PRINCE TEH'S OPINION Chahar are now occupied by the percentage below that of Italy strength of the Mongolian unit is the commanding officer in Inner itself, which stands at 3 per 300, mostly cavalry. General Tso Mongolia, who is in the pay of Shih-hai, Commander of the Mon-Japan. Eventually these coun-"It must be added that, as golian unit, is now at Paochang, ties will become part of Manchu-

"Furthermore, it has been opinion regarding the Chahar versity yesterday, Professor Hawmade compulsory for all enter- situation, Mr. Pao said that the kin Wong of the English Departprises employing over 1,000 Prince was anxious to wait for an ment asked why China was still workers, to employ one doctor amicable settlement by the Peiping unprepared to resist Japan after (both authorities. But should the latter preparations of four years. Italians) and five assistant na- be unable to do so, the Prince tive male murses. Each team would probably call a conference at with a medicine chest similar concerned and settle the issue as a GENERAL SUNG FOR

> Prince Teh is now at Pangkiang while Prince Yun is at Pailingmiao, Mr. Pao added

FOREIGN PARTIES INTERESTED According to information from diplomatic circles, most foreign Embassies and Legations in from their respective Governments to pay close, attention to cial Government and public orthe reported opening of Sino-gans here to welcome General Japanese negotiations for the resituatment of the relations be to come to Pasting to-day or totween the two countries.

ary 9 to call on the Chinese authorities to make enquiries into the matter-Central News

#### HEW CRUSSER FOR CEPHANI-

#### REBEL REGIME IN NORTH

Tientsin Said Next Objective

JAPANESE IN FAYOUR OF EXTENSION

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton To-day Tientsin is the objective of These figures are given in a chang, Kuyuan and Huateh, are is seeking the support of Japstatement issued here by the now being garrisoned by Mongo- anese troops in Manchuria to It is also stated that the Yueh-ching, who returned here according to vernacular dis-

The number of deaths repre- noon to submit a report on the that General Jiro Minami, Commander-in-Chief of Japanese be pointed out, states the Mr. Pao categorically denied the troops in Manchuria, is in favour report that a conference of repre- of extending the Tungchow rede-sentatives from the different ban-gime to Tientsin and later to ners and leagues in Inner Mongo-Peiping. The Japanese troops liz has been called at Changpei are said to need Peiping and under Japanese auspices. The re-Tientsin as bases for "the even-

In addition, five counties in According to Mr. Pao, the troops of General Li Shou-hsin,

Continued concessions to Japan The Manchukuo troops, under on the part of Nanking have the country. At a meeting of Asked what was Prince Teh's professors at Sun Yat-sen Uni-

#### Elaborate Welcome Planned

Pacting, To-day. Elaborate preparations have been made by the Hopei Provin-Sung Cheh-yuan, who is expected morrow to assume the concurrent Sir Alexander Gadogan will post of Chairman of Hopei. Almost all the affairs of the Provincial Government have been taken over by the new administration, it is understood -- Central

#### WEATHER REPORT

News Agency.

The auti-cyclone has extended eastward and south westward, decreasing sightly in intensity. hour last month against a rapidly Berlin, Today The new 10,000 Pressure is new highest to the rising tide on the Hoyle Benk, ion armoured only Admiral Grat north of the Lower Tangtre Valley. Cheshire, to rescue their horse von Spee was slaced in communion North-east winds. Tresh fair was TO DAY ONLY at the

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